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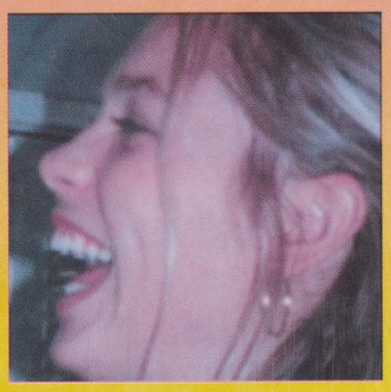

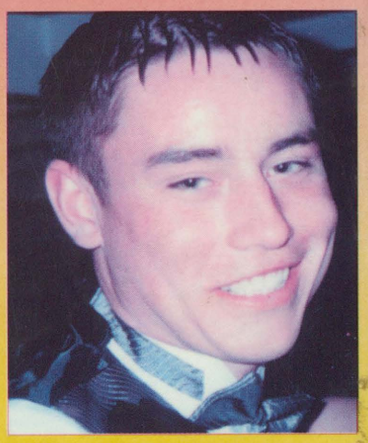

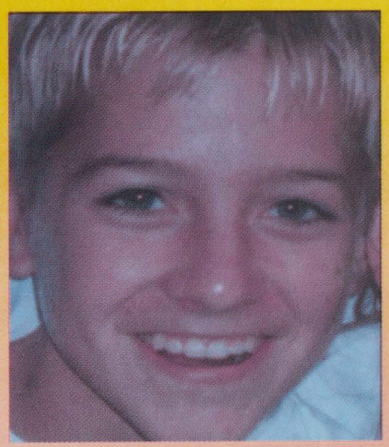

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Stars and stripes. Waving proudly in front of Chesaning High School, the flag has become a renewed symbol of American pride after the attacks on September 11. Students could choose to say the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:25 A.M. in the gym.

Bandwagon. Members of the snare drumline Sam Reetz, Laura Kensrud, Courtney Reinhardt and Jeremy Hoover march in the homecoming parade. "Parades are fun because you get to fool around. They are not too serious," said Laura.

Space Cowboys. Esteban Escamilla, Sarah Tithof, Jeremy Chrysler and Jarod Hughes perform an experiment to find out how big a meteoroid it would take to form a crater one mile wide. Golf balls and nerf balls were propelled into the sand to form "mini-craters."

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HIDDEN VALUES

PRICELESS LESSONS

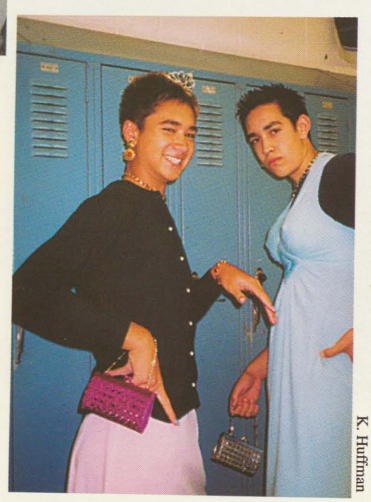
August 22. The school year started smoothly. What a difference from last year's construction zone atmosphere! The hallways had fresh carpet and new linoleum, and for the first time in two years, construction workers were not part of our daily scenery. All was well and students faced the year with anticipation.

Then at 9:10 a.m. on September 11, an announcement was heard on the PA, "This is a directive from Mr. Dewey. Turn your television sets off NOW!" For most students who were sitting in math or English, the announcement made no sense, but when the first block bell rang, those of us who did NOT know what was happening, soon learned that the World Trade Center in New York City was under attack by terrorists. Interested students and teachers couldn't believe the command to NOT turn on the television. Staff soon learned that the administration was concerned that students would react badly to such huge news, and teachers were encouraged to talk to them about what was happening before turning on their sets. Within moments of Mr. Dewey's go ahead, virtually every television set was turned on while staff and students watched in horror as the events of the day unfolded.

Who were these terrorists who valued their own lives so little they were willing to die for their cause? As we watched people leap to their deaths from the upper floors of the World Trade Center, we all had a new awareness of the value of our own lives and of the lives of our families and friends.

Nothing should be taken at face value...everything that we do has a deeper meaning. Our happy times here in high school are indeed priceless.

Blair Giesken



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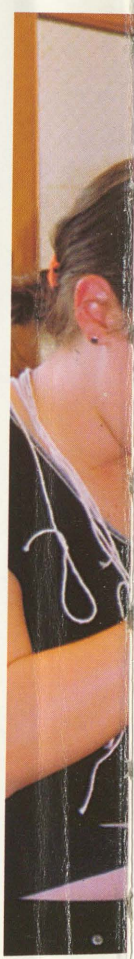
Men with some sensitivity. Russ Dones and Fernando Rojas go drag for "Pretty Pretty Princess Day". "We got the clothes from Mrs. Smith and my mom, and the crown and purse came from Dollar Daze. It was definitely fun," said Russ.

J. Shaw

Rainbow Brite. Ms. Shaw's Communications Skills class show their true colors: all of them! The senior class came in first place for "Twister Day" and overall for Homecoming 2001.

Balloon Theory. Christine Hudecek and Caitlyn Kienitz tie the balloons to be let off at the football game. Key Club and Student Council put on the fundraiser for the victims of the terrorist attacks in NYC and Washington.



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Can't hide that Indian pride! Megan Luplow, Lacey Moore and Amanda Wirgau go all out in orange and black to win points for their class on Sorry (Orange & Black) Day. "Everything came from the dollar store; our total outfit probably didn't even cost $5," said Lacey.

J. Shaw

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America Attacked. The World Trade Towers and Pentagon were blown up with hijacked planes on September 11, 2001 by terrorists. "If there were to be a war I would join in, but I am not too worried about it," said Brad Maslowski.

IN YOUR FACE

THE VALUE OF MEMORIES

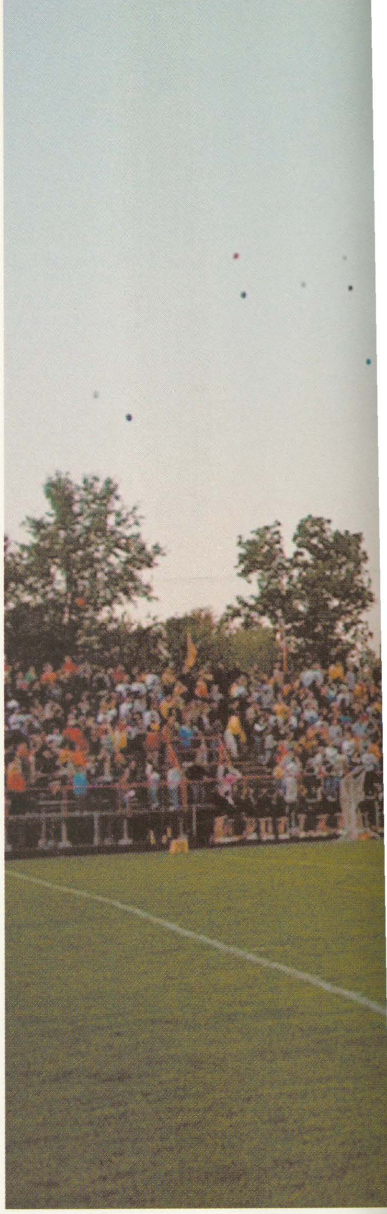
Cost of a movie ticket...$7.00

Cost of a Value Meal at McDonald's...$3.91

Cost of a tank of gas...$20.00

High school students must learn to spend their money wisely. The things in life we enjoy are expensive, and money is certainly something teenagers don't have a lot of. But the bright smiles, shared laughter and unforgettable experiences are all free of charge. A value cannot be put on the memories that will last a lifetime and affect our entire lives.

Cost of having a great time with your friends...Priceless.



Kyle Elkins

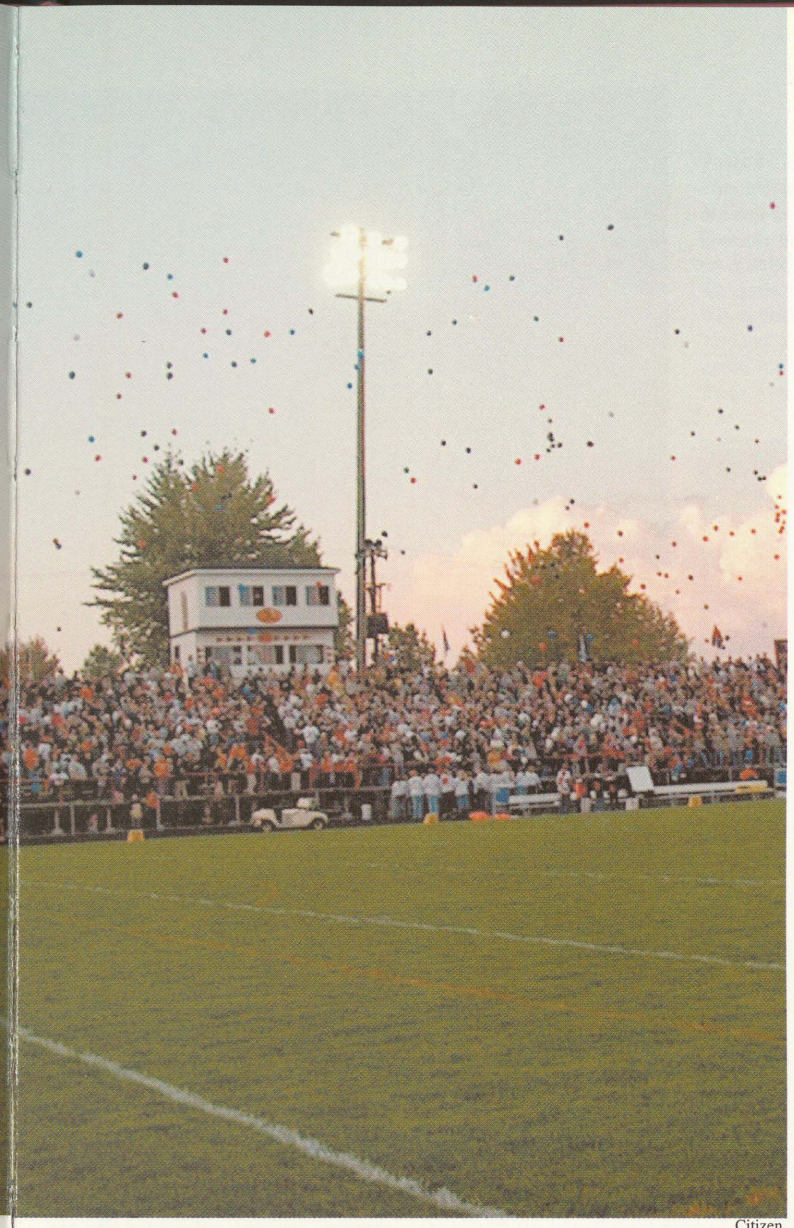
J. Shaw

Art Smart. Ms. Hautamaki helps Cassie Keys with her art project. "We were working on a still life lesson with pastels as the medium," said Ms. Hautamaki.

Y. Gewirtz

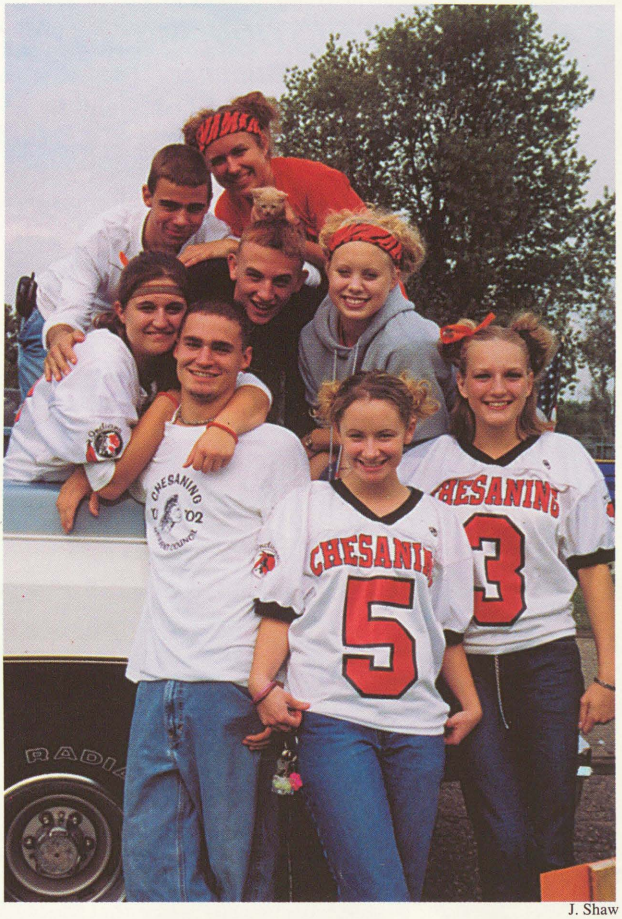
This one time at band camp. Erica Shuster and Betsy Gewirtz rehearse for their show at the CMU Summer Band Camp. "I am playing an instrument called the marimba. Basically at band camp, we learn our music," said Erica.

Super Models. Sara Weigold, Cassie Reiber and Mary Schneider strut their stuff on the catwalk. "We were doing a fashion show for Anita Holden's vocabulary word "chic." Anita brought in all the clothes for us to wear," said Mary.



Citizen

3, 2, 1 lift-off! The Student Council and Key Club organized a fundraiser to raise money for New York victims with a balloon launch. The red, white, and blue balloons cost one dollar each and were released at a football game.



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Juniors got spirit! A group of juniors get ready for the home-coming parade in Travis Wood's truck. "The kitten is the junior class mascot. I named it Junior," said Rachael Dewey.

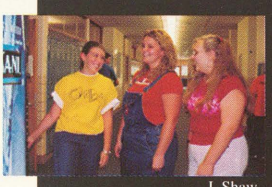
Kasey Taylor

J. Shaw

PERSONAL VALUES

JENNIFER MOORE

"I value my sisters and my family. The New York attacks made me realize how important they are to me; I don't know what I would do without them," said Jennifer Moore regarding what she values most in life.



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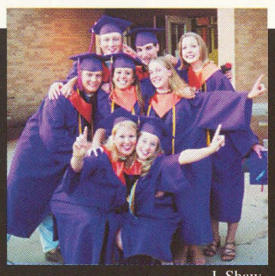

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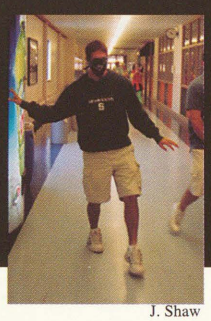

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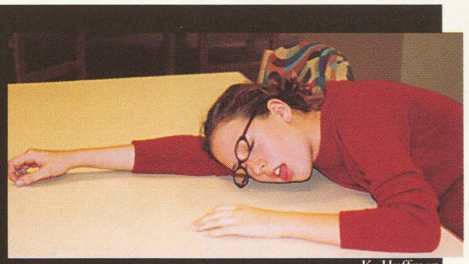

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When it comes to naming our favorite season, it seems everyone is...

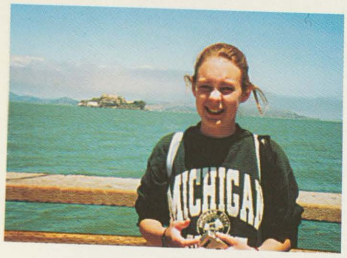
.....Summer Lovin'

-A. Weisenberger

Taking the Heat. Cara Wendling, Jori Pacek, Amanda Wirgau, Annie Weisenberger and Kylee Kunik took fourth place in a Gus Macker tournament in Gaylord in July. "I'm glad I played because shortly after that I got mono and had to miss basketball season," said Annie.

-L. Giesken

Fun, food, and... ketchup? "Yes, ketchup!" exclaims Chelsey Giesken. "My friends and I all went up to my cabin at Houghton Lake this summer and after tubing one day, we went to a local restaurant. Jill Meyer opened up a bottle of ketchup and it exploded all over her, everyone around us, and the ceiling! It was so funny." Chelsey, Melissa Londry, Hannah McDougall, Michelle Zajdlik, Jill, Jessie Bates, and Brynn Call enjoy a relaxing moment on the deck.



-Y. Gewirtz

California, There She Goes! Freshman Betsy Gewirtz poses in front of Alcatraz Island in San Fransisco during a family vacation to California. "We didn't go to the actual island, but we did get to see a movie with surround sound," explained Betsy. It took two weeks to get to California and back.

QUESTION: What did you do this summer?

•Blake Cottrill- I went to a Madonna concert with my mom. Madonna is my favorite artist.

•Mark Roebuck - I spent 8 days in the hospital with mono. It wasn't so bad though, because my mom and my friends came and visited me.

•Sara Cacciola- My friend Nicky Ryckaert and I went toilet papering and a car drove by us. We were forced to jump in a ditch where we were attacked by a muskrat!

•Trisha Brian- My friend Brittany Wilkins and I were driving to Grand Rapids and we made faces at the kids in the car beside us. The kids' mom saw us and she got mad, so she threw some change at our window.

•Margaret Hyatt - I went to Cedar Point wearing a shirt that said, "Boy Bands Suck." Little did I know NSYNC was there to ride the Millinneum Force that day.

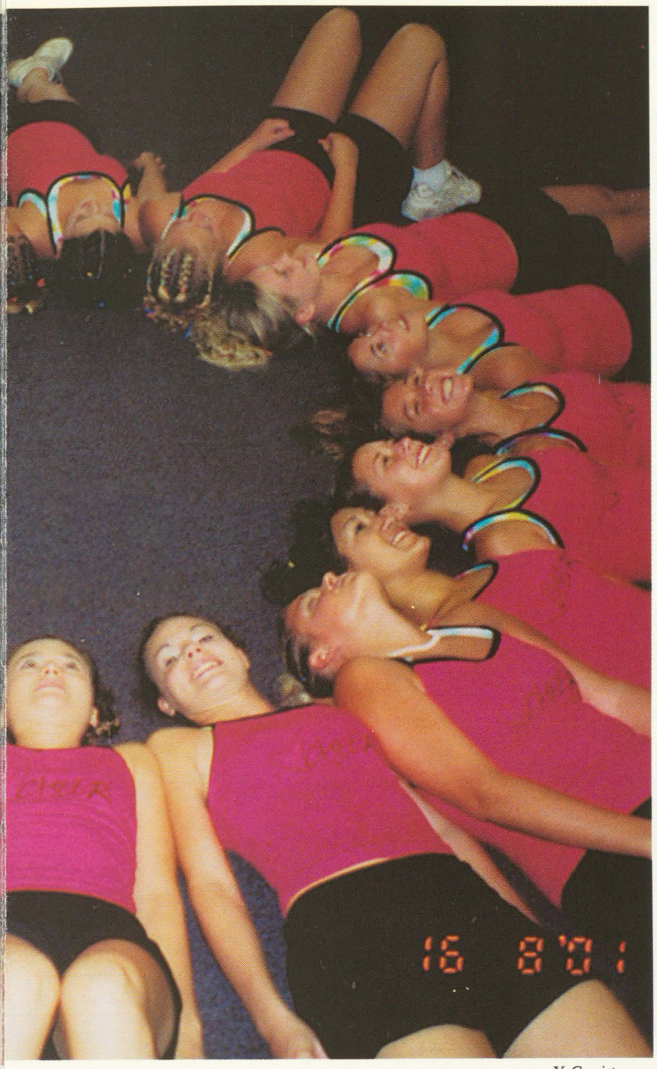
•Justin Maxa-I traveled to Germany with my brother and my sister-in-law. We visited the southern part of Germany and saw all kinds of historic castles. I had the most fun though, when we went to Amsterdam. I ran into a lot of "ladies of the night" that tried to persuade me into following them. We also made a trip to France to see Paris, which was really cool. I had a lot of fun traveling across a foreign country. I'd like to go back to Europe again sometime.

•Bobby Keroson- I was driving my truck through mud holes on Harris Road and I got stuck. I had to have a guy that I didn't know pull my truck out. It was really embarassing.

-J. Potter

Tea Time at the Palace. Jamie Potter toured Great Britain and Ireland this summer through the People to People program. "It was cool to actually visit Buckingham Palace after seeing it on tv, " said Jamie, who poses here with a friend she met on the tour. Students in the Saginaw County area were on the trip after going through an interview process.

Amanda Nixon

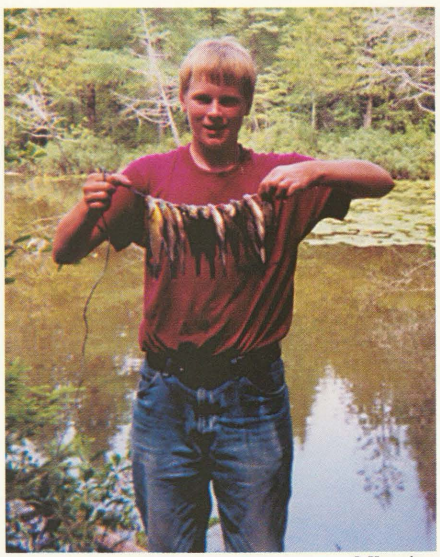


-Y. Gewirtz

Face Up. The 18-member varsity cheerleading team attended Cheer! Michigan Camp at Baker College in Owosso for three days in August. They earned the Leadership by Example Award. The girls worked each day from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. each day, stopping only for meals. Tired of a traditional team pose, the girls opted for a circle photo which also gave them a moment to lie down!

Butterflies are Free. For Cara Gross' seventeenth birthday in August, some friends went to the Saginaw petting zoo. Karolyn Hemker, Michelle Agnew, Kellie Weisenberger, and Anndee Gross stopped at the butterfly tent. "The butterflies are supposed to land on you but apparently they were all dead, so our favorite part was the goat exhibit," said Karolyn.

-C. Gross



-J. Kovach

Something Fishy. Jeff Hudecek displays the fish he caught at Rifle River State Park when the FFA took their annual point trip. Members earn points in order to attend the three-day camping trip. "Mr. Kovach and I had good luck on Pintail Pond. Everyone else who tried other lakes came back with nothing," said Jeff.

Their Two Cents

-W. Kensrud

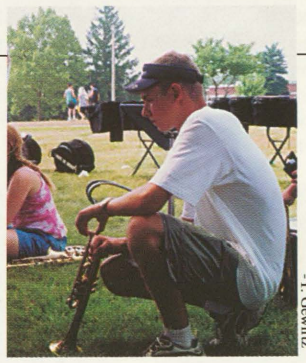
"My family went to the Silversmith Hotel in Chicago over the fourth of July. The hotel gave us bathrobes and cheesecake. It was awesome!"

- Laura Kensrud, senior.

-A. Nixon

"I went to MDA Camp in August because I am interested in working with kids. I had full responsibility all week for a child who has muscular dystrophy. It was challenging but VERY rewarding. I'm going again next summer!

-Abby Nixon, senior.



-Y. Gewirtz

"It was hard getting up early each day at band camp and then practicing until 9 p.m., but the hard work was worth it."

-Aaron Leckenby, junior.

A night with the stars made Showboat 2001 a....

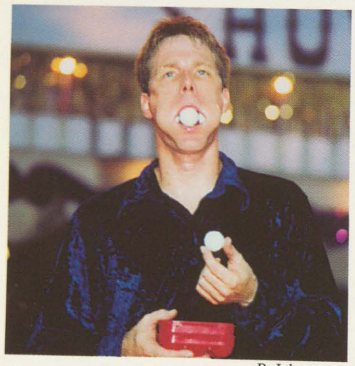
....Riverside Hollywood

-Citizen

Now Listen Here. Endman Mr. Murdoch tells a joke to the crowd. The endmen tell jokes and sing songs in between acts to keep the audience entertained.

-B. Johnson

Family Affair. Court member Chelle Tomac poses with her mother after the show. The girls were required to attend the show. Each night they rode the boat around and watched the show while they were on board.



-B. Johnson

A Mouthful. Comedian Mark Nizer did many different acts that kept the audience howling with laughter. One night Marc Rehmann's mom was called up on stage to help him out, and the whole time she was up there she kept using her sleeve to wipe the sweat off of his face.

For the 60th year the Shiawassee Queen sailed around the bend to bring entertainment to waiting audiences. The boat was decorated for the Hollywood theme using film reels, Oscar trophies, and other movie set props.

Famed country singer Willie Nelson served as the headliner on Monday and Tuesday night, singing crowd favorites such as *On the Road Again*, and *You Were Always on My Mind*. The show quickly switched gears from country to comedy as the Smothers Brothers took center stage Wednesday through Saturday. The audience howled with laughter as they brought their unique blend of music and comedy to the stage, highlighted by the appearance of Tommy as Yo-Yo Man. "The yo-yo man was the best part of the show," said Zac Alden. "That dance he did was so goofy!"

Supporting acts included comedian Mark Nizer, and the Vogues, a sixties and seventies singing group who performed such hits as *Turn Around Look at Me*. Recent CHS grad and winner of a nationwide crooner search, Ryan DeHues, performed five swing numbers with the Johnny Trudell orchestra.

Each night the show was kicked off by the Showboat Dancers, a group of local girls under the direction of Carol Wirgau. "Dancing every night got to be really tiring, but I had a lot of fun," said Amanda Wirgau. "We got to meet all of the different acts and one night we even got to go on Willie Nelson's tour bus, which was really cool."

About 20,000 people attended the show over the six nights. Once again, community volunteers made Showboat Week a great one.

-Jessie Stewart

Here Comes the Show-boat. The theme for Showboat was Hollywood. The famous Shiawassee Queen was turned into a movie set.

-Citizen

Dynamic Duo. The Smothers Brothers mixed music with comedy. "It was really cool to see them in person, because when I was younger I used to watch them on television all the time", said Mrs. Dewey.

The one and only. With his signature long hair Willie Nelson entertained the crowd with country music. The annual weather fears were not a problem, because the weather cooperated nicely every night.

Color Compliments of Showboat Committee

-B. Johnson

Goofing Around. Comedian Mark Nizer spent some time hanging out with the Showboat Committee. The committee consists of members Mary Beth Reiber, Wayne Suppus, Tom Meder, and Ron Krupp.

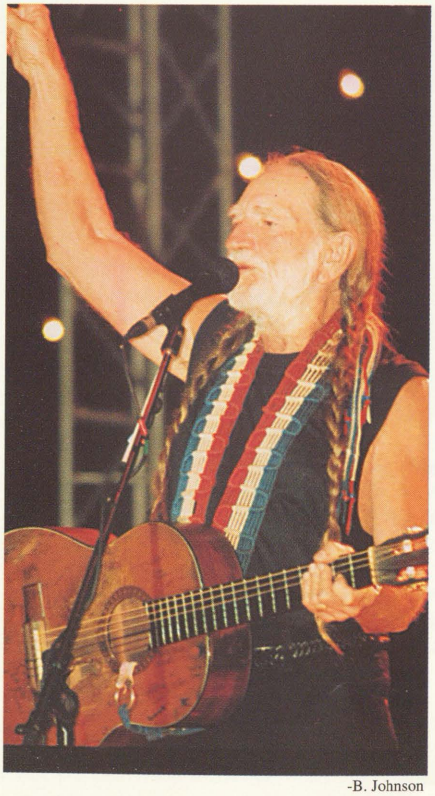
-B. Johnson

-B. Johnson

Showboat Line. The dancers wore top hats and used canes to help symbolized the Hollywood theme. Every night the girls opended the show with a unique dance routine which for the first time ever included tumbling.

-B. Johnson

Chesaning Royalty. Members include first runner up Jayme Newton, Queen Mollie Schlachter, second runner-up Chelle Tomac, and third runner-up Molly Messinger.



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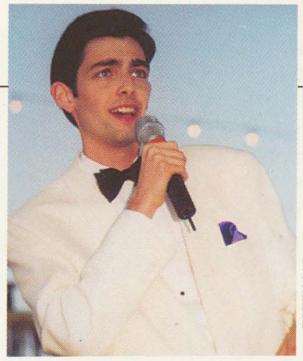

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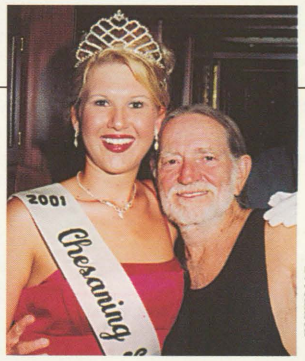

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"To get to play for the home town crowd and to be on stage after having been in the audience for so many years was a real thrill."

-Ryan DeHues, 2001 Graduate.

"This year was the first year that I danced on the Showboat. I had a lot of fun and I am looking forward to dancing again next year."

-Savannah Rupple, freshman.

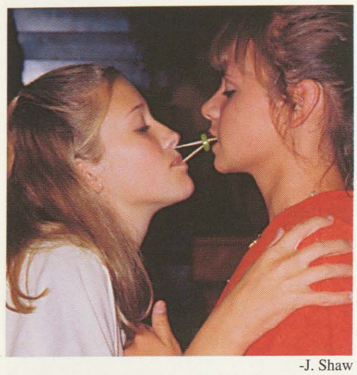
"It was really an honor to be Showboat Queen and it was an experience that I will never forget. It was a relief after the week was finished not to have to dress up and do my hair and make-up every day."

-Mollie Schlachter, 2001 Graduate.

Their Two Cents

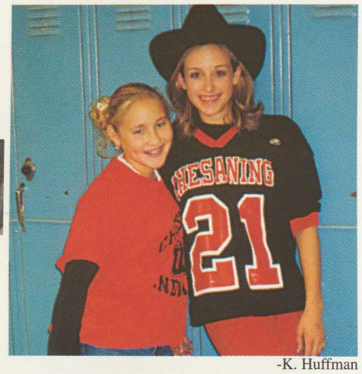
New dress-up days and seminar games for Homecoming made everyone have...

.....Spunky Spirit



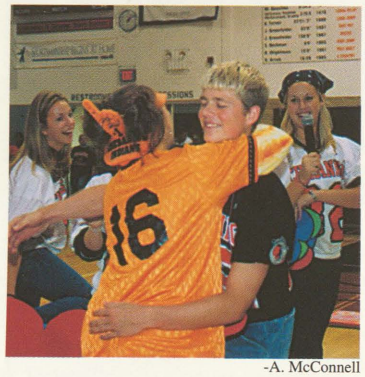
-J. Shaw

Get A Life. Freshmen Allyson Parson and Brooke Devereaux carefully pass a lifesaver to each other. "It looked like we were kissing, and I was worried that I had bad breath," said Allyson.



-K. Huffman

Orange and Black Attack. Freshmen Andressa VanHorn and Beth Douglas show their Indian pride."I wear my black cowboy hat when I ride horses for the Equestrian team," said Beth.



-A. McConnell

We Have A Date. Craig Weisenberger gives Rebecca Card a hug after winning a date with her during the game 'Singled Out'. "At first I was nervous to play the game, but it ended up being a lot of fun, even though we didn't actually go on a date." said Rebecca.

Homecoming 2001 was not just the icing on the school year cake. Most students think of homecoming week as a being a breath of fresh air, and a week to get away from the stressful school regularities. This year was no exception, and the homecoming week at CHS was nothing but extraordinary.

The week started off with the annual homecoming dance on September 15. The theme for the dance was "A Night of Games" and the Video DJ was a great addition to the yearly event. The video DJ brought in 2 big screens to show music videos of the songs that he played. The screens also showed students dancing at the dance. The class that had the most students attend was the seniors, with the freshmen coming in a close second.

Get Up and Go Day was on Monday, and students came to school dressed in their sleep wear. Slippers and pillows were a big favorite of the students. The seminar game of the day was a suitcase relay. Four people from each grade had to unpack a suitcase and dress up in all the clothes inside of the suitcase. Then they had to run across the gym, undress and pack the clothes in the suitcase, where the next person from their grade would repeat the process. Juniors came in first for the game.

Tuesday was Twister Day, and the hallways were extremely colorful. Twister was the game for seminar, and it started off with 5 people from each grade. When the numbers were narrowed down to one person per grade, then each grade competed against each other. With Sara Weigold representing the seniors, the class came in first. The sophomores came in second with the help of Trisha Brian.

If you were looking for a doctor on Wednesday, all you had to do was come to school. Operation Day was a day for doctors, nurses and patients to let

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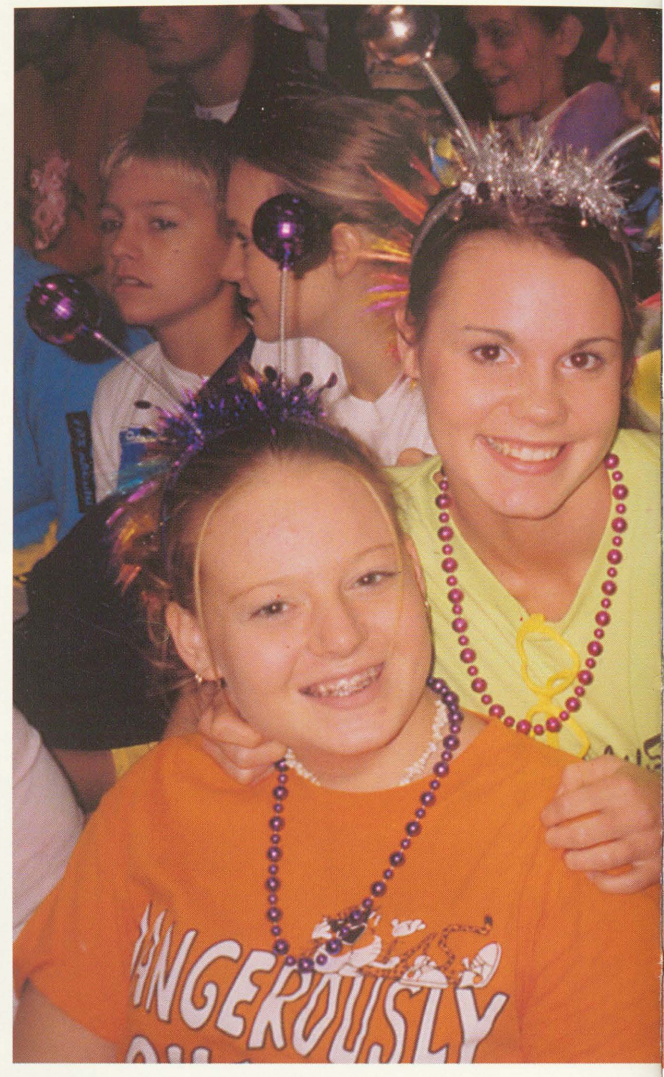
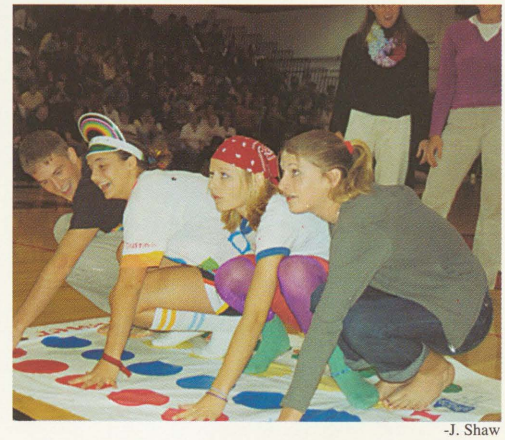


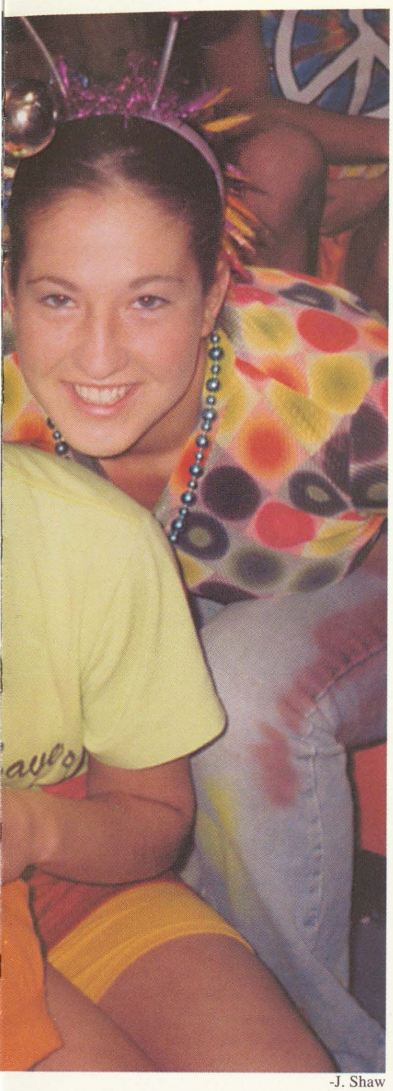


-J. Shaw

Twist and Shout. Brent Brettrager, Trisha Brian, Sara Weigold and Jessica Richardson compete in the final round of Twister. "It was a lot fun," said Brent. "I didn't know I was that flexible!"

Ice Cream Frenzy. Hollie Adelberg, Trisha Brian, Preston Overholt, Jarod Hughes and Melissa Ostrander try to finish a bowl of ice cream first so they can win points for the sophomore class. "My hands were really cold, but it was fun." said Jarod.

Dustin Gross



-J. Shaw

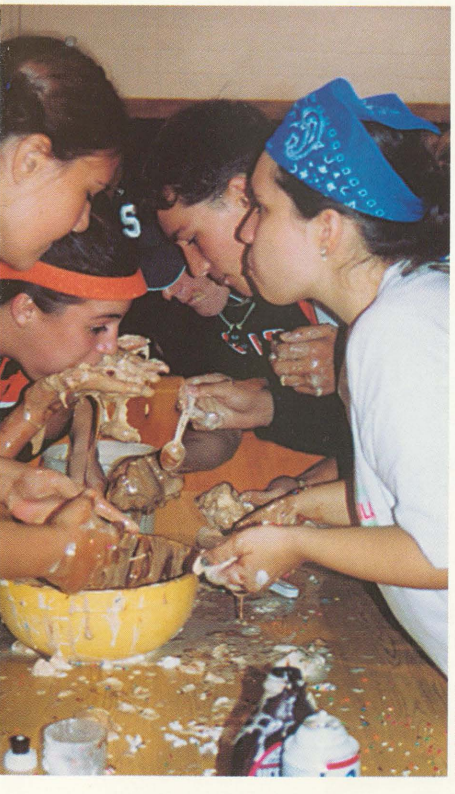
Spirit With A Twist. Juniors Stacy Lorencz, Teysha Gross and Crystal Wirostek clown around on Twister Day. "We all just wanted to be crazy so we went to Claire's and got these things to wear on our heads. It was fun." said Crystal.

-K. Huffman

Royal Feast. On Pretty Pretty Princess Day, Annie Weisenberger, Cara Wendling and Tricia Coole sit down to eat lunch in their prom-worthy attire. "Cara and I went to Goodwill to get all of our costumes for Homecoming week," said Annie. Tricia added, "I absolutely loved Pretty Pretty Princess Day because *I am* a princess."

-J. Shaw

Ready, Set, PASS. Seniors Kimmy Newton, Justin Maxa, Brynn Call, Justin Birchmeier, Mary Schneider, Chris Barancik, Chelsey Giesken and Adam Joyce try to finish passing off lifesavers to each other with toothpicks. "I kept on getting poked in the lip and teeth with a toothpick. It was really hard but it was fun!" said Chris.



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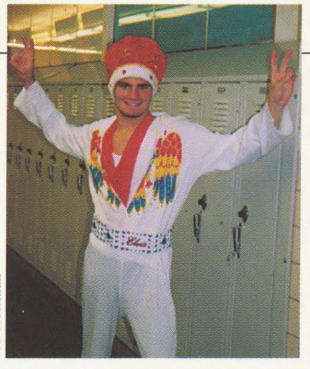

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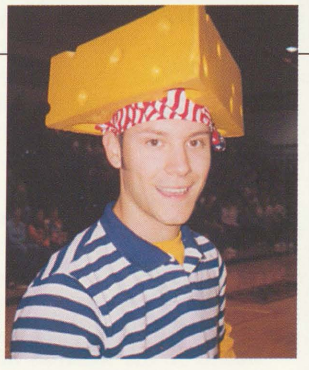
"I dressed up for all the dress-up days. On Wednesday it was Pretty Pretty Princess Day, and I dressed up as Elvis, because he's the King of Rock and Roll!"

-Cory Martin, junior.



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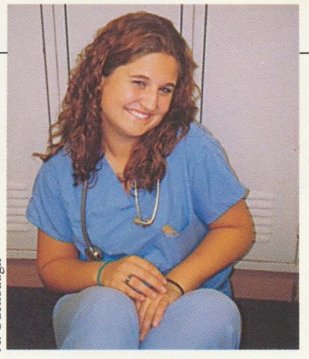
"That cheese hat has been lying around my house since my eighth grade year, and David Emmendorfer has always been telling me that I had to wear it for some homecoming event. Well, I never wore it until this year for some reason and it had absolutely nothing to do with the dress-up day."

-Rich Price, senior.



-A. Odenbaugh

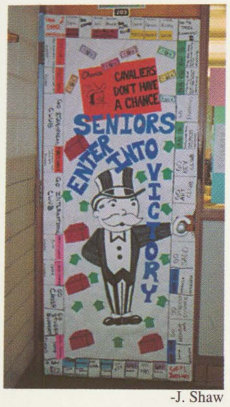
"I got my outfit for Operation Day from the Memorial Hospital in Owosso, since my mom works there. The clothes were really comfortable! When I'm older I plan on entering into the sports medicine field to become a trainer."

-Ashley Harris, junior.

Their Two Cents

Homecoming activities after school are the most fun of all when they are...

.....Played With Class



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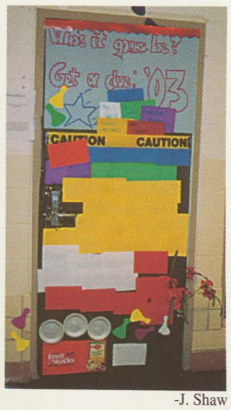
First Place. The Senior door with the theme of Monopoly.



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Second Place. The Junior door with the Clue Junior theme.

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Fourth Place. The glittery and flashy Sophomore Battleship door.

-J. Shaw

Third Place. The Freshmen door with the Guess Who and frog theme.

themselves be known through the halls of CHS. The seminar game for the day was a lifesaver pass, with the juniors ending up in first. "I started out standing next to Cody Stuttler for the game, but we had problems because I was kind of afraid of kissing a guy, so me and Brandi Bitterman switched places," said junior Russ Dones

Later that night, a game of powder-puff was planned for the classes to compete against each other in. However, due to the sudden downpour, a game of broom hockey was substituted for football. The freshmen and sophomores battled it off first, and in the end the sophomores came through. Afterwards, the juniors and seniors played against each other and ended up going into overtime. Juniors were victorious in the end.

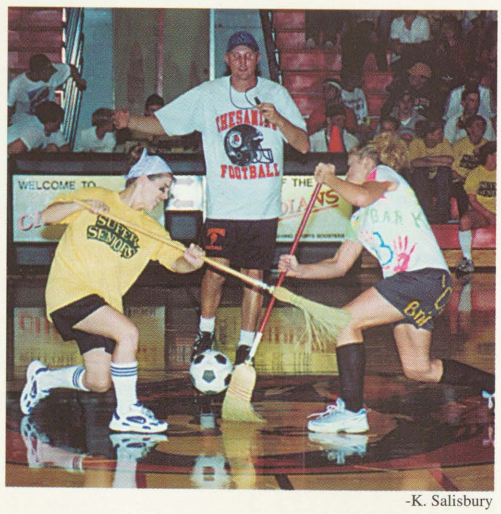
Thursday was Pretty Pretty Princess Day, and students came to school dressed formally. Due to Drop Everything And Read, there was no seminar game. A new event was Door Decorating, where each class had to decorate their advisor's door. This event took the place of gym decorating. Seniors came in first with their monopoly themed door, juniors in second, freshmen in third and sophomores in fourth.

The most anticipated day was Friday, which was Orange and Black Day. Most students dressed up in their school colors. The seminar game was a showdown between the single girls to see who would be the finalists in the new pep assembly game "Singled Out," a spin-off of the MTV version. The winning team consisted of Cassie Reiber, Melissa Bitterman, Rebecca Card and Meghan Strachota.

The pep assembly started at the beginning of first block. The first game was the ice cream relay, where each class had a huge tub of ice cream to eat. Seniors came in first by eating the fastest. Next, the much anticipated game of Singled Out

(continued...)

Triple Header. Junior Alex Bovee fights for the ball from seniors Cassie Reiber and Kylee Kunik. "The game was too competitive, and I got beat up really bad. The game was really tiring, and it would've been better if it were outside." said Alex.

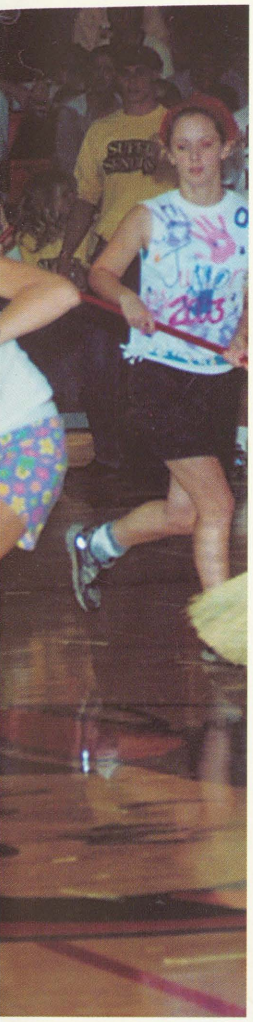


-K. Salisbury

Face Off. Amber Odenbaugh and Rebecca Gengler fight for the ball during the junior/senior game. "I thought the game was a nice opportunity for everyone to get together, but I really wanted to play powder-puff for my senior year." said Amber.

Clean Sweep. Freshman Caitlyn Stasa sweeps the ball down the court. "It was really challenging, because I had to play the entire game, and I got beat up a lot," said Caitlyn.

Christina Cannon



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Seniors. *Front:* Anndee Gross, Melissa Hemgesberg. *Row 2:* Cassie Reiber, Tricia Coole. *Row 3:* Brynn Call, Jessica Bates, Michelle Agnew, Chelsey Giesken, Michelle Zajdlik, Melissa Londry. *Back:* April Kadlec, Jill Meyer, Coach Justin Maxa, Amber Odenbaugh, Sara Weigold, Coach Paul Tithof, Kylee Kunik.

Juniors. *Front:* Melissa Bitterman, Rachael Dewey, Alex Bovee. *Row 2:* Laura Waswick, Angela Letson, Christine Hudecek, Jodi Cassidy, Sarah Rodriguez, Ashley Harris. *Back:* Jami Wolfe, Rebecca Gengler, Brooke Cannon, Carly Selleck.

Sophomores. *Front:* Tricia King, Jenny Aldrich, Annette Kosin and Megan Smith. *Row 2:* Lindsay Higgins and Heidi Cross. *Row 3:* Ashley Denton, Brooke Vanhorn, Hollie Adelberg, Bev Robinette, and Alyssa Wesener. *Row 4:* Ashley Goddard, Jessica Harris, Mary Stevens, Nicole Vietti. *Back:* Coach Adam Orth and Coach Nic Weigold.

Freshmen. *Front:* Courtney Schoch, Crystal Ritenburg, Chelsey Fry, Caitlin Stasa, Mallorie Vrable. *Back :* Coach Ryan Luft.

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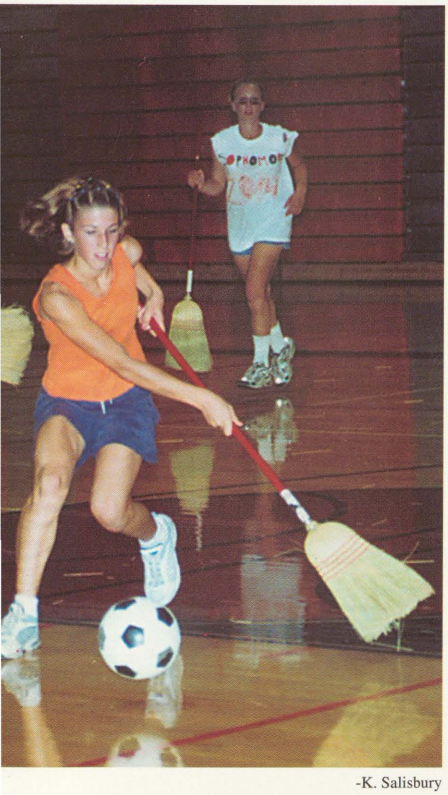

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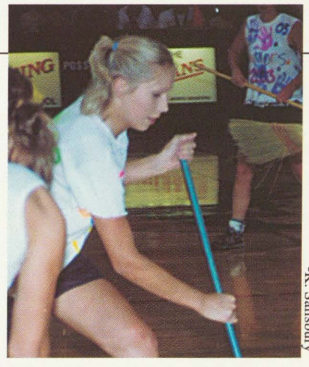

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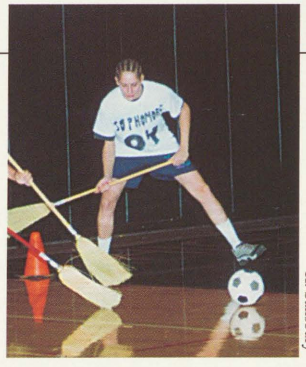

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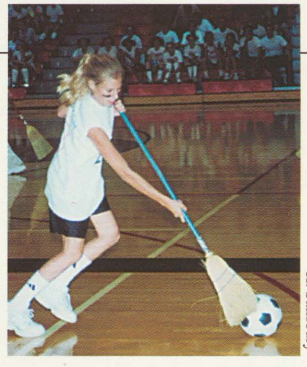

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"I remember one time during the game, Lindsay Lea took out Tricia Coole, and it was really funny! I was kind of mad that we didn't get to play powerpuff football, and I didn't want to play the broom soccer game. We ended up winning though, so it was okay."

- Jami Wolfe, junior.

"I thought the broom hockey game was really fun, but some people were way too aggressive. I was kind of set on playing football, but at least we didn't have to play crab soccer, again!"

-Bev Robinette, sophomore.

"I would rather have played powderpuff than broom hockey, because I like football a lot better. It was still fun, though."

-Jenny Aldrich, sophomore.

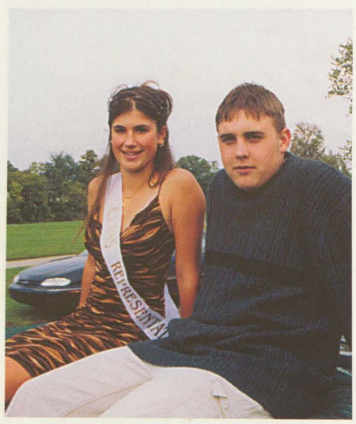
Their Two Cents

The Homecoming Dance, the Parade and the crowning of the king and queen were...

.....Magical Moments

-J. Shaw

Junior Class Representatives. Joslyn Lary and T.J. Aldrich.



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Sophomore Class Representatives. Halee McDougall and Justin Chrysler.

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Freshmen Class Representatives. Dennis Irland and Mallorie Vrable.

Out began. About 40 guys participated in the game. "I lost because I didn't have any facial hair," said Mark Roebuck.

Randy Coole said, "I was out when she picked 'dresses like Limp Bizkit.' I'm a Backstreet Boy."

Another member of the single guys, Jeff Fry, said, "I was out in the weights category, I don't like to be buff!" said Jeff. Russ Dones won the golden ticket, but Craig Weisenberger ended up winning the date with Rebecca Card.

After "Singled Out," eight students from each grade linked arms in an effort to pass a hula hoop down the line the fastest. Then, a hula-hooping contest was held for the teachers. The women teachers seemed to be experts, while the male teachers looked like they could have used some practice. Since Ms. Homberg won out of the women, she tried giving the male teachers some lessons.

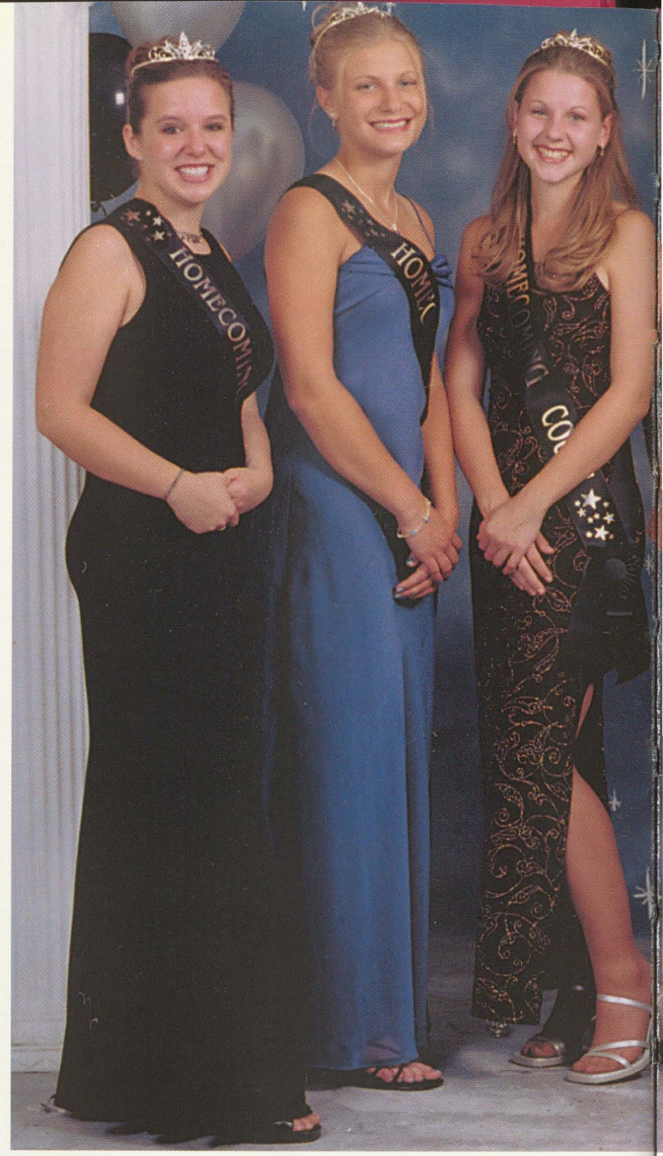
After school, the annual Homecoming parade passed through Chesaning, where the classes could display their floats. The homecoming court also rode through the parade, with the football players and cheerleaders. Seniors "Monopoly" and Juniors "Clue Junior" floats tied for first place. Sophomores came in second place for their "Battleship" float and freshmen came in third place with their "Guess Who" float.

During halftime, Justin Maxa and Kylee Kunik were crowned as the Chesaning High School Homecoming King and Queen for 2001.

Finally, winning all the dress up days, seniors were announced as the winners of Homecoming week. Juniors were in a close second, sophomores ended up being in third place and freshmen took fourth place in the events.

After the game, a Free Dance was held in the cafeteria to celebrate the fun-filled week. Homecoming 2001 was definitely a week that will be remembered.

-Mary Schneider



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They Love a Parade. Freshmen Erica Keit, Jalayna Chludil, Kristin Prince and Whitney Richmond get ready to be in the annual Homecoming parade. "I wasn't feeling too well, so I rode in Willie Schneider's truck for the parade, even though he was pulling the senior float. It was cool," said Whitney.

-Hicks

Homecoming 2001 Queen's Court. Mary Schneider, Melanie Vrable, Jessica Bates, Queen Kylee Kunik and Brynn Call.

CHS Royalty. Justin Maxa and Kylee Kunik pose together after being announced the King and Queen for 2001. "I thought that it was a pleasure to be able to represent CHS," said Justin. "My mom was really happy, and she wanted me to wear my crown around the house all day."

-Hicks

Crowning Moment. Kylee Kunik is crowned the 2001 Homecoming Queen by last year's queen Denique Greenfelder. "I was really excited. It raises your self esteem a lot!" said Kylee. "Everyone on court was really nice and they all deserved to get it, too."

-Hicks

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Homecoming 2001 King's Court. Paul Tithof, King Justin Maxa, Jason Croucher, Brent Conklin and Ricky DeLong.

Dance the Night Away. A bunch of girls group together at the Homecoming Dance."The dance was awesome," said Sarah Tithof. "The two screens were pretty cool. I liked when they showed peoples faces splitting in half!"

Student Life

Robert Clark

Caitlin Stasa

Showing off some skin. Jill Meyer, Michelle Zajdlik, and Jessica Bates all smile pretty for the camera before leaving for prom. "I got up at 8 in the morning to get my hair done, get flowers, pick up Sercan, and take pictures. It was very hectic," said Jessica.

Table for two. Heather Davey and Brad Maslowski sit down to a fabulous meal at prom. "The food at the prom was okay, but when you poked the chicken, butter squirted out," Brad commented. Despite the juicy chicken, Brad said he had a great time floating down the river.

-J. Meyer

-K. Huffman

Dancing Divas. Mary Schneider, Lacy Moore, Kristen Huffman, and Julie Esmer groove to the tunes at prom. "When I was at prom, I was dancing a lot. However, my top was so tight, I could hardly breathe so it was hard to dance," said Lacy.

Boys will be boys. Chris Barancik strikes a studly pose with all of his friends on the deck of the Michigan Princess. "We all got to go up to the captain's deck and we kept blowing the horn and steering the ship," said Chris.

-J. Gosselin

-A. Brown

-K. Stoll

Hawaii 3-0. Alex Bovee, Ashley Harris, and Jessie Stewart show off their hawaiian dresses at the freshman/sophomore dance. "Right after this picture was taken Fred Priest hit Alex in the nose and she started bleeding all over the place," said Ashley.

Between the Freshman/Sophomore dance and the 2001 Prom, CHS students were sure to catch...

Spring Fever.....

Price of a formal dress: $150
Price of a prom ticket: $40
Memories of getting in an accident on the way to prom: priceless.

Senior Brent Conklin experienced this unfortunate incident. On the way to the prom, Chris Barancik missed his turn and stopped suddenly on the expressway. Brent and many of his friends were following Chris and when he stopped to cross the median, someone traveling at 60 m.p.h. rear-ended Brent. After being interrogated by an unpleasant police officer who was working overtime, Brent was finally allowed to leave for prom. Unfortunately, all of Brent's friends had left him on the accident scene. "I paid some lady $20 to take me to prom," Brent said.

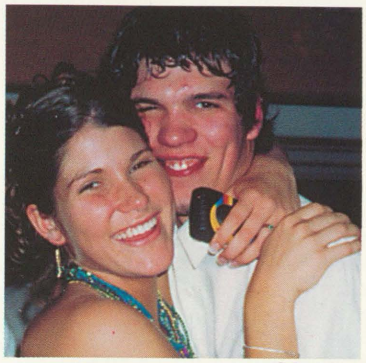
The 2001 Chesaning High School prom was on the Michigan Princess in Lansing. Many students enjoyed dancing the night away while cruising the Grand River. "The boat was really neat. We got to go on all three floors and it was fun going on the top floor," said Tiffany Witt.

Kala O'Dell said, "A lot of people that don't usually dance at regular dances danced a lot. I don't usually dance a lot, but at prom I did."

After the trip aboard the Michigan Princess was over, many prom-goers headed for the high school for post prom, which featured prizes, caricature artists, food, sumo wrestling, bungee cords, and a huge obstacle course. Kylee Kunik and Demirhan Gumus had a little accident while they were racing through the obstacle course. "I wanted to beat Demirhan so bad so we both got ready and as we ran through the tunnel and started climbing up the hill, it began to deflate," said Kylee.

The 2001 prom aboard the Michigan princess was full of fun and excitement. The beautiful route down the Grand River was sure to make any prom goers dreams come true.

-Brynn Call



-C. Wendling

Neighborly Love. Annie Weisenberger and Chris Wendling dance the night away. "Chris is like my brother, we grew up together. We lived across the road from each other," said Annie.

-A. Kettle

Almost Twins. April Kettle and Mary Hughes take a picture together while dining. "Mary and I were showing off that our dresses were the same color, but different styles," said April.

-A. Brown

King of dance. Ryan Cramer cuts up a rug at prom. "I was concentrating really hard on impressing the girls with my dance moves," said Ryan.

With new adventures ahead, the Class of 2001 felt like they were turned

Inside Out

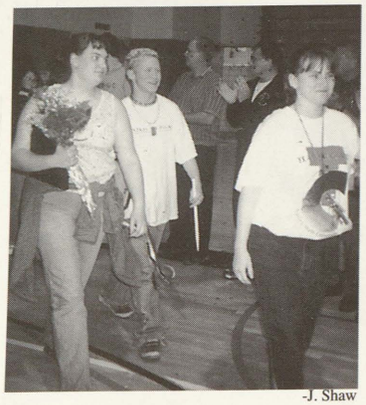
-J. Meyer

Happy Days. Brian Fielbrandt and Richard Price celebrate outside the school after commencements."I didn't know if the graduation ceremony would go that well since it was inside because of the rain, but I thought it went really well," said Richard.

Matt McKay

-Citizen

Farewell Friends. Denigue Greenfelder and Scoot Moore run out the gym. The senior class walked out of the gym in pairs to greet their families.



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Goodbye Seniors. Mirain Meiser and Jack Lambert walk through the tunnel of teachers and juniors during the senior's last day. This tradition causes many tears from both graduates and underclassmen.

On May 24, the Chesaning Union High School Class of 2001 ended their high school career as they received their diplomas and began a new life.

The class of 2001 celebrated their graduation a little differently than in previous years. Due to the rain earlier that day and the predicted thunderstorms, the commencement program took place in the high school gym.

"When I got the call at 10:00, I was really disappointed," said Eric Bolf. "Once it started raining and thunderstorming, I knew they made a good call."

Each graduate received seven tickets to give to family and friends. This left some people without tickets. Some students tried to create their own tickets in order to get into the gym. "I could tell some tickets were fake, but I wasn't going to tell them they couldn't go in," said Justin Maxa, who was an usher for the evening.

The class walked into the gym wearing orange and purple, with an orange rose. The roses were decorated with purple and yellow ribbons in memory of Ryann Luplow. The class of 2001 chose *Graduation (Friends Forever),* by Vitamin C, to be their class song. The class motto was "Dream as if you will live forever, live as if you will die tomorrow," author unknown.

Tosha Keroson, Korey Stasa, and Rachelle Tomac were the honored class speakers. "Before I started writing it, it seemed like a big deal, but when I started doing it, it all flowed out. I thought I'd be nervous giving my speech, but it was fun," said Rachelle.

Kasey Strait, the class president, gave the closing and the last goodbyes. The class then walked out out of the gym to Jupiter by Holst, played by the Chesaning High School Symphonic Band.

-Michelle Zajdlik

Don't Ever Let Go. Tawana Harrison hugs her family after the commencement program. Family and friends joyously celebrated at the school and at home after the ceremony.

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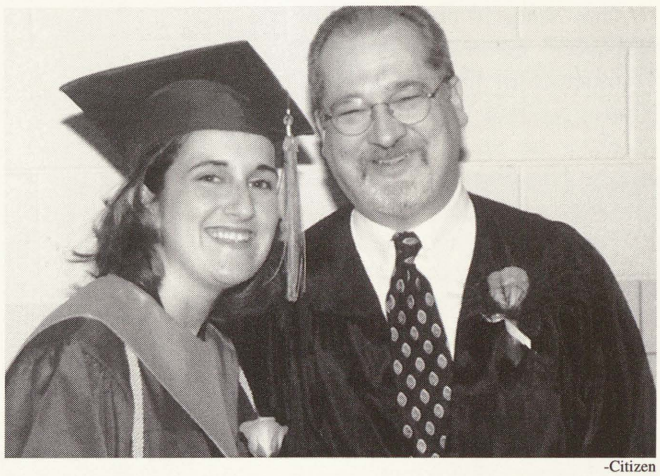
Korey's Last Stand. Korey Stasa addresses her class one last time. Korey's speech was about the beginnings of the many school years that the class had experienced.



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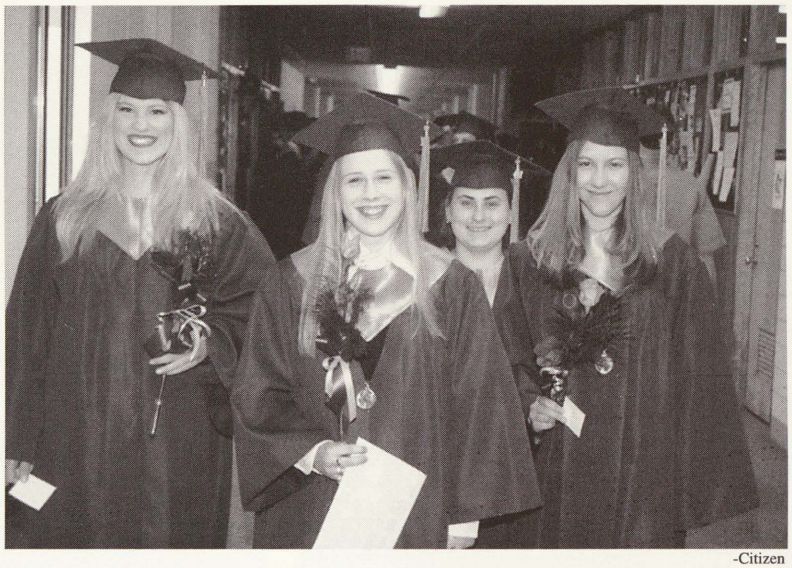
Daddy's Girl. After commencement, Mr. Mike Messinger congratulates his daughter, Molly Messinger. "Graduation was really special for me because my dad was the class advisor. He read my name and I got to hug him before getting my diploma. To me that was the best part of the graduation ceremony," said Molly.



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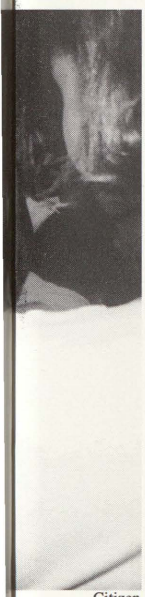
Graduated Grins. Alana Lancynski, Carrie Lancynski, Jessica Birge, and Jamie Kulhanek walk through the high school halls one last time. Friends and families celebrated inside and outside of the school after the graduation program.

Matt Ferry



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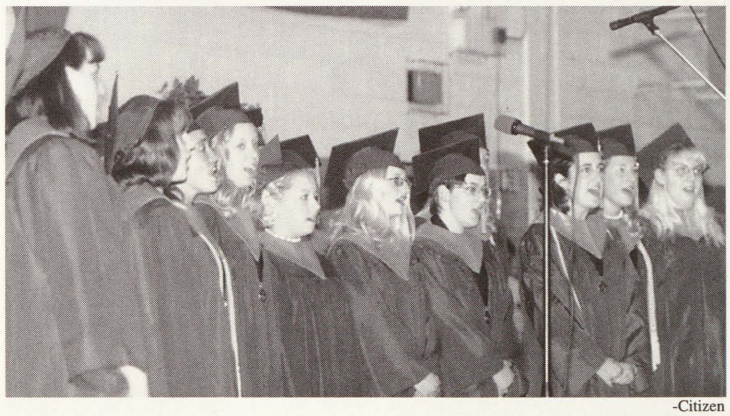
The Three Musketeers. Dawn Currie, Rachelle Tomac, and Rebecca Cannon congratulate each other after commencements. "We all had mixed feelings about graduating, but everyone was glad that they got a chance to be together," said Becca.



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Never Forget. The senior band and choir members sing *Remember Me this Way.* The group dedicated the song to the senior class.

From dancing gamblers to a tumbling trio the audience said...

.....The Cast Can Do

Following the Fold. Laura Kensrud leads Jodi Cassidy, Jeni Leggett, and Nicole Turnwald in singing *Follow The Fold*. "It was hard to not laugh at Jamie Faust because when we sang she would come by as the bag lady," said Jeni.

A Bushel and a Peck. LeeAnn Volway, Annette Kosin, Nicole Ambrose, and Anna Brown dance it up. Nicole was chosen to fill Molly Schlachter's place after Molly was unable to do the part.

Two Of Hearts. Molly Messinger and Dustin Angst play the dynamic couple of Nathan Detroit and Adelaide. "One night Dustin said a line in the wrong place and my next line cued people to come on stage. We had to improvise until I could say my line," said Molly.

Nic Weigold played a suave gambler in CAPA's 2001 production of Guys and Dolls. Unlike football, this lineman got to show his smooth moves on stage. Nic played a very shady character named Sky Masterson, a master at gambling. Nic wasn't the only cast member proving that all guys have two left feet.

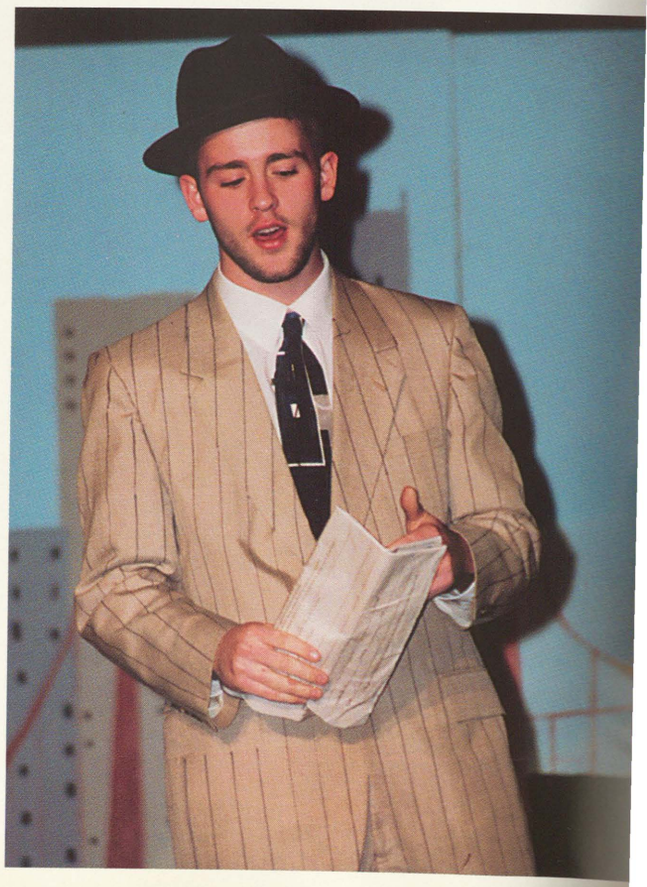
"Trying to teach high school boys to dance is not an easy feat, because they don't want to look "girly" when dancing, and when you are a girl choreographer, it's hard not to do "girly" things," said Molly Messinger, commenting on the *Gambler's Suite*. Molly Messinger choreographed and danced the two Hot Box dance numbers, *Bushel and a Peck* and *Take Off Your Mink* and choregraphed the *Gambler's Suite*.

The tangoing trio of Laura Kensrud, Molly Schlachter, and Craig Barancik fell on to the stage with their dance in the Cuban Scene. At the end of the dance Craig and Nic got into a fight. Molly Schlachter would jump onto Nic's back causing her dress to rip and both of them to fall. "Craig didn't dance very well and it became a little bit of a hassle," said Laura. Craig may not have had the smooth moves of Fred Astaire but Dustin Angst sang with the smooth voice of an angel.

Dustin sang the love song *Sue Me* to Miss Adelaide played by Molly Messinger. "During the song we were fighting and I slapped his hand once or twice during it and on occasion I would end up hitting him really hard. The look on his face would make it so hard not to start laughing," Molly commented.

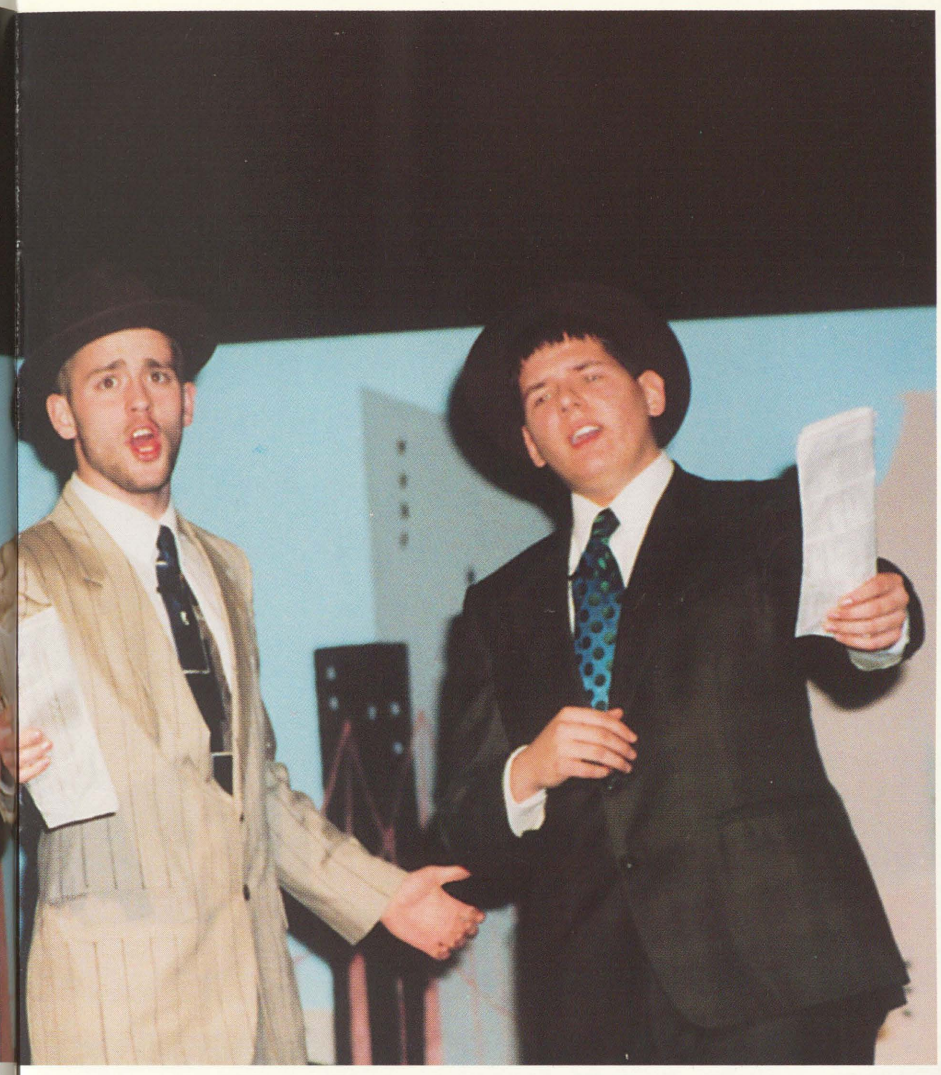
Whether dancing, singing, or just having a good time the cast of Guy's and Doll's really *can do.*

-Mary Hughes



I GOT IT! James Leggett suggests that the gang should go to the Biltmore Garage for Nathan Detroit's floating crap game.

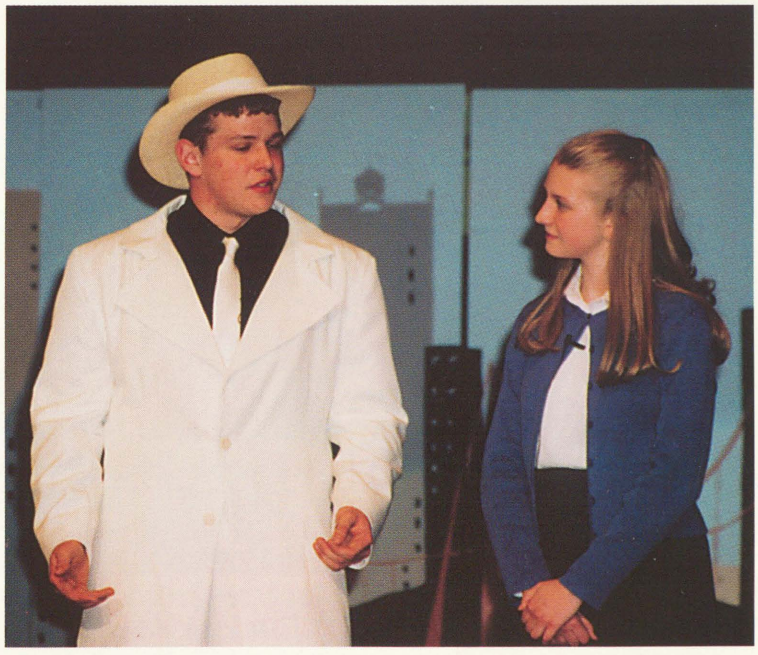
Jason Fry



Right Here. Ryan Cramer, James Leggett and Stephen Bublitz open the play with a song about what else, gambling. "During one of our practices we were singing a cappella in the commons. There was a girls' basketball game going on and people kept giving us weird looks," commented Stephen.

Believe Me, Officer. Nathan Detroit (Dustin Angst) promises Lt. Brannigan (Josh Krause) that there isn't a crap game, when actually they don't know where it's going to be. Josh Krause played Lt. Brannigan, the pain-in-the-neck villain.

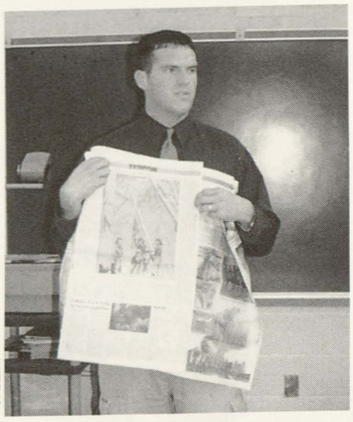
Toss the Dice. Tom Ebenhoeh throws the dice as Big Jule, while the other gamblers look on. "I liked playing a bad guy," commented Tom.



Really, I Can Change. Sky Masterson (Nic Weigold) convinces Sarah Brown (Laura Kensrud) that he can be a proper man. "This scene was always hard. We had to look proper after coming straight from the Cuban scene," said Laura.

The tragedy that happened on September 11th made each of us really appreciate...

.....Our America

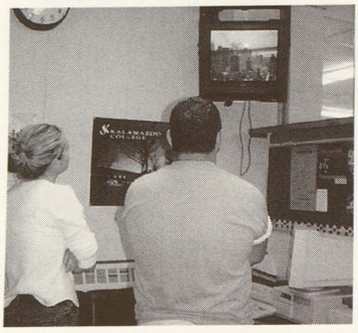


-J. Shaw

Teaching Tragedy. Mr. Haist informs his class about the recent attacks. "It was an incredibly sad day for all of us. I think the positive that has come out of it is that we have started to value each others lives a lot more, and as a country we have come together," he said.

-A. Wirgau

Downtown Unity. Many businesses in Chesaning displayed their patriotism in a scarecrow contest that was held along the Boulevard.



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Watchful Eyes. Senior Josh Gosselin watches a replay of one of the planes crashing into the towers. Most classroom's televisions were on for the entire week.

As the World Trade Center and the Pentagon were attacked on September 11, 2001 the United States was forever changed. At school, mass confusion and utter depression took over the students who watched the terrorist attacks from their classroom television sets. The depression still lingers throughout the school as the total number of bodies found under the rubble rises. As of press time 5,219 people are still reported missing to the New York Police Department from the World Trade Center, and 363 have been confirmed dead. 157 people died on the two hijacked planes. At the Pentagon 64 were pronounced dead on the hijacked plane; another 125 are dead or missing. 44 were confirmed dead on the hijacked plane that crashed in Pennsylvania.

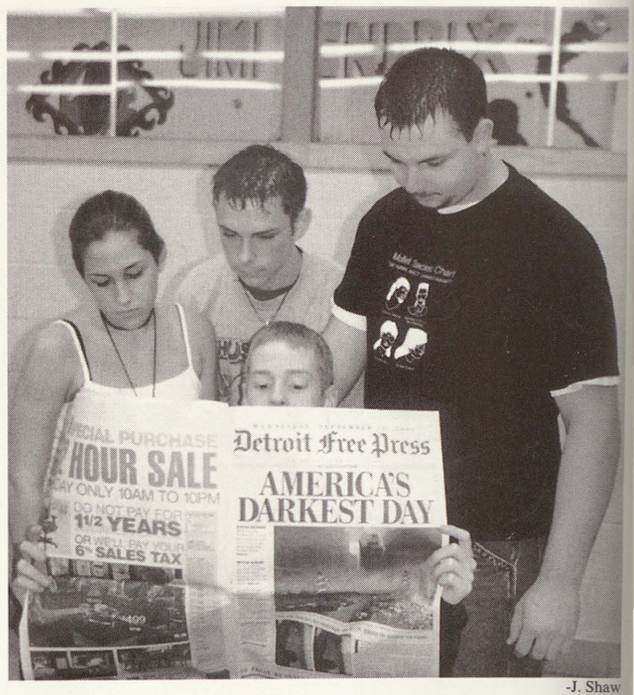
Although many people were trapped inside the two trade centers, Mayor Giuliani called the September 11 evacuation of thousands of people from the twin towers, "The largest single rescue in the history of the United States."

Since the first attacks on our country, terrorists have sent anthrax laced letters into the United States. 5 anthrax deaths have been reported since September 11, 2001 as of November 23. Our country has retaliated by bombing Afghanistan and using every possible means of finding terrorist leader Osama Bin Laden.

Reverend Jesse Jackson stated, "Suffering breeds character, and character breeds faith, and in the end faith will prevail. This suffering has allowed, in the darkest hour, the light to shine most clearly."

-Zac Alden

Grand Old Flag. All over the United States, people are displaying the American flag, due to the attacks. The flag is a symbol of pride for our country.



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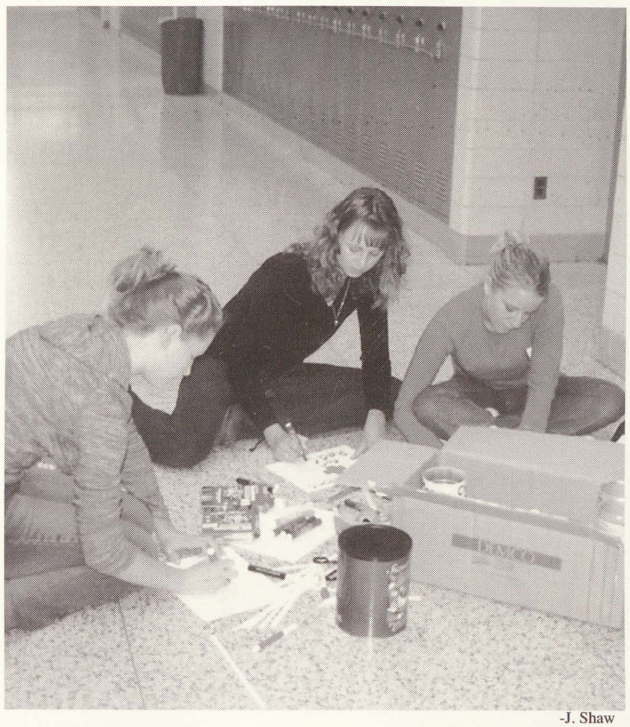
More Than Words. Samantha Reikowski, Jason Lentz, Josh Fisher and Adam Spencer browse through an update of the attacks from the Detroit Free Press. Many students were concerned about America's future.

Keven Harris

-A. Wirgau

Building for Donations. Seniors Jessica Bates, Michelle Zajdlik and Chelsey Giesken decorate cans to take around to different classes, in an effort to raise money for the Red Cross. "We made quite a lot of money when we brought the cans around the school. When we were all done collecting donations, we put the change together with the money that was made for the balloon release at the end of the week," said Chelsey.



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Front Page News. For weeks after the incident, nearly all of the newspaper's front pages displayed horrifying photos of the tragedy.

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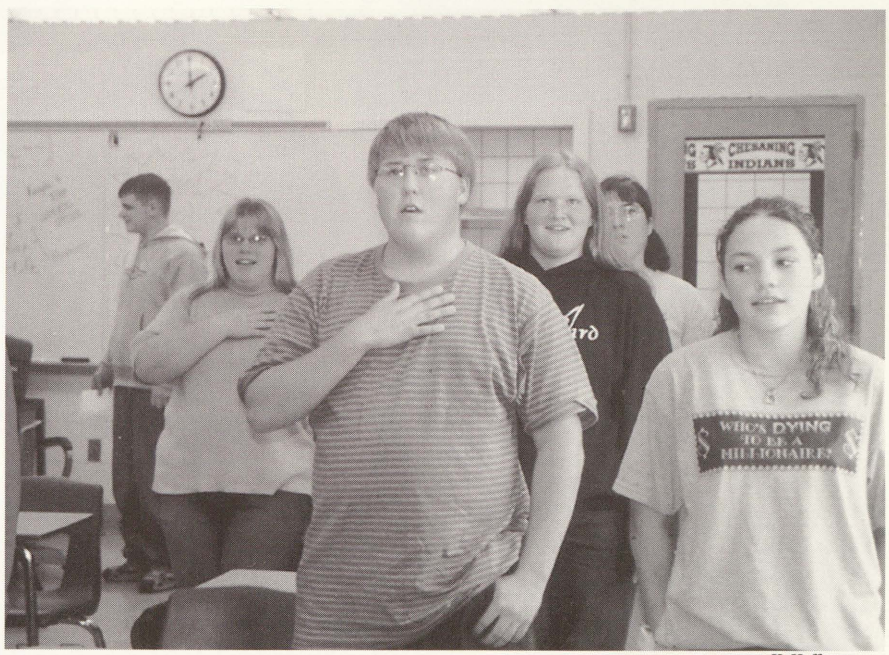


-K. Huffman

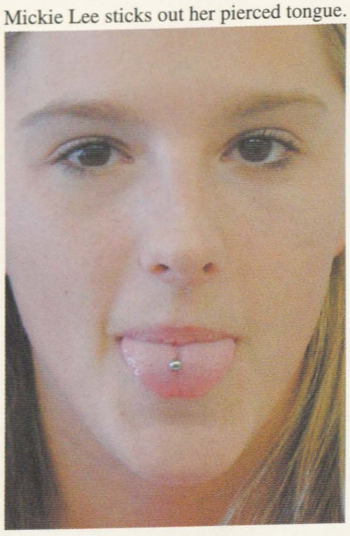
Balloon Bananza. Carly Selleck and a police officer sell balloons at the homecoming football game. The money raised from the balloons went towards the Red Cross. "I thought the balloon release was a good idea and a great success," said Carly.

Pledging Allegiance. Students from Mrs. Dewey's English I class take the time to say the pledge of allegiance at the end of the day.

Fashions

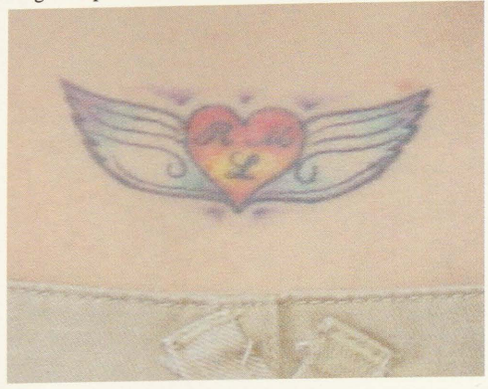
Shoes Facial Hair Contacts Khakis Sweaters Tattoos Jewelry Shirts Piercings

Mickie Lee sticks out her pierced tongue.

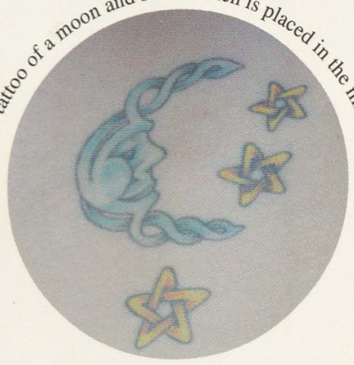


Nicki Busci and Ashley Weisenberger show off their long sweaters, called dusters.

Megan Luplow's tattoo on her back of her sister's initials.



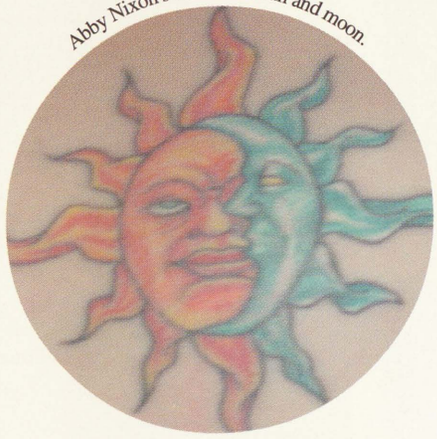
Kristi Freshour's tattoo of a moon and stars, which is placed in the middle of her back.



Jacob Richardson

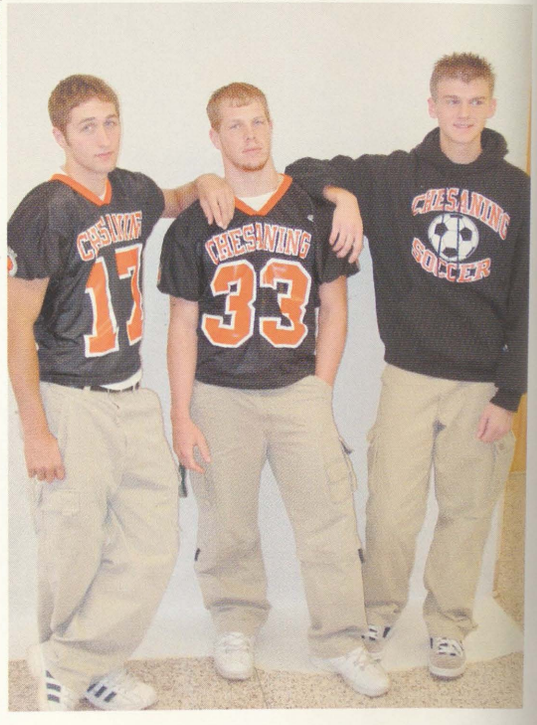
Mozis O'Dell displays the tattoo on his arm.

Abby Nixon's tattoo of a sun and moon.



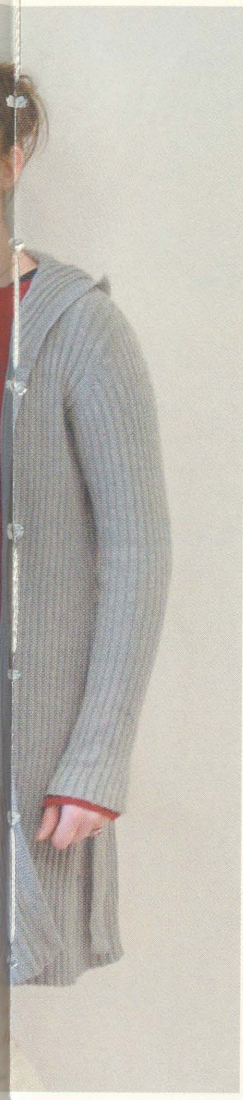
Chris Barancik and Steve Meyer model in their pair of khakis.

Brent Bassham,

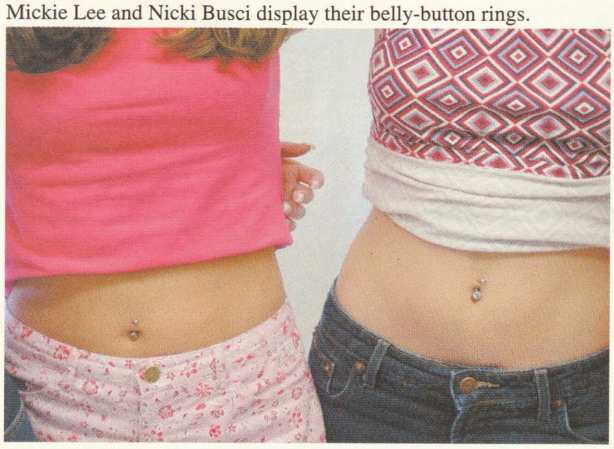


Kala O'Dell's tattoo on her upper chest is a picture of a gargoyle.

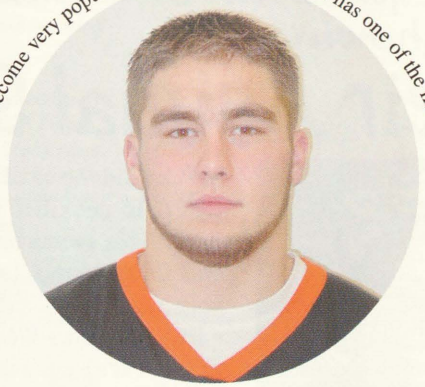
Mozis O'Dell shows off the tattoo on his back.



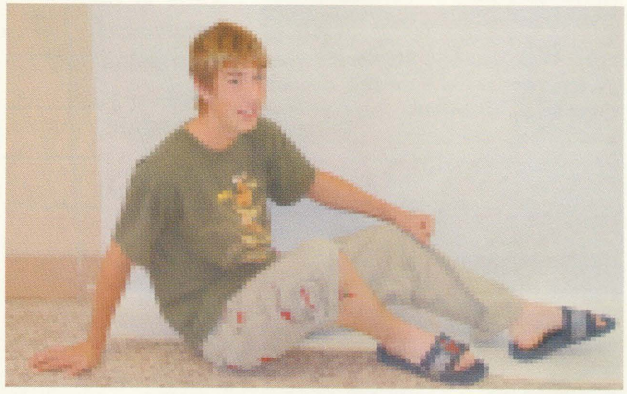
Mickie Lee and Nicki Busci display their belly-button rings.



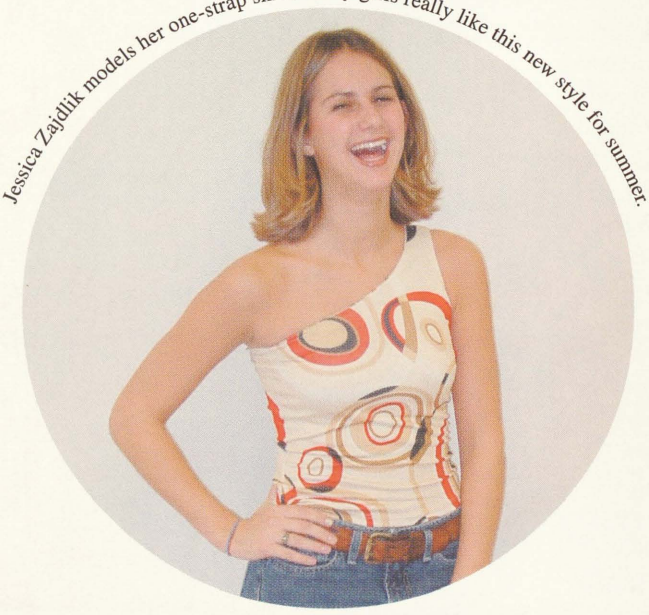
Facial hair has become very popular this year. Brett Conklin has one of the many fuzzy faces.



Zippy pants turned out to be very popular, shown here by Matt Trumble.

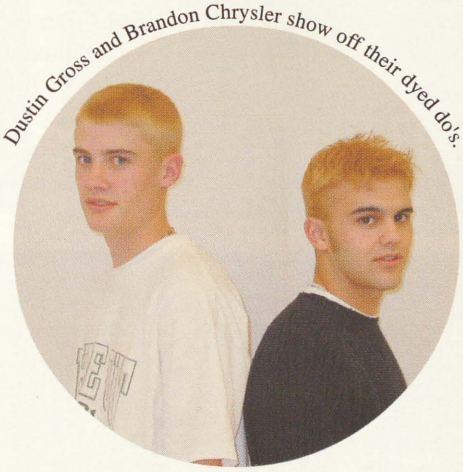


Jessica Zajdlik models her one-strap shirt. Many girls really like this new style for summer.



Michelle Zajdlik models some of the bracelets that are in style.

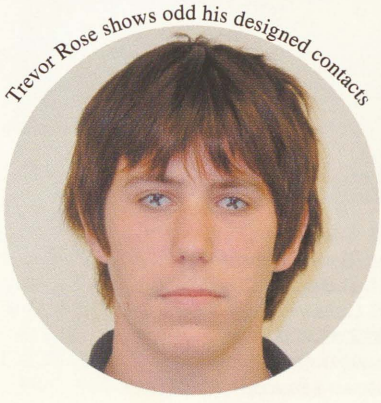
Dustin Gross and Brandon Chrysler show off their dyed do's.



Many students have wide-legged pants.

Anthony Fish models his black pair.

Trevor Rose shows odd his designed contacts



Many different kinds of shoes walk through the CHS halls.

Photos taken by Justin Birchmeier

The Equestrian Club and FFA are showing...

.....Their Animal Side

-C. Martin

Cowboy, Baby. Mr. Kovach sports a spiffy cowboy hat at the FFA National Convention in Louisville, Kentucky. The five day trip also included visits to the Louisville Slugger Bat Factory and the Chicago Museum of Science and Industry.

-K. Huffman

Competition Jitters. Beth Douglas puts on her back number for a show at the Shiawassee County Fairgrounds. There were three shows for Equestrian Club this year; two were in Corunna and one in Fowlerville.

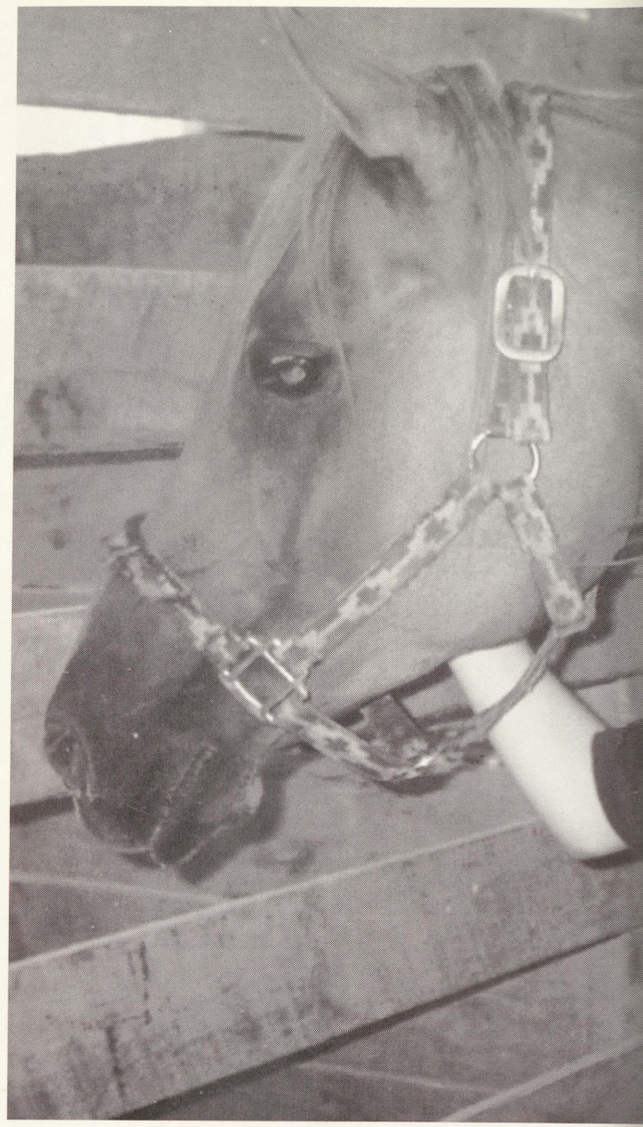
Why did the chicken cross the road? To get killed by the FFA! Several big events have kept FFA and Equestrian Club busy this year.

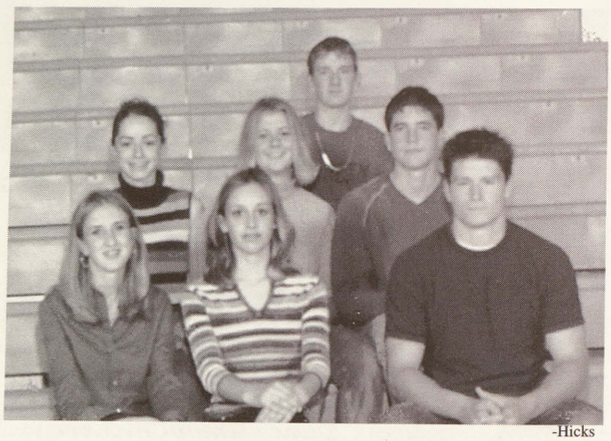
• FFA members were spectators at this year's National Convention. They visited the Career Show while at the convention. This featured every business associate in agriculture and every university that has a agriculture program.

•The main community service project was the Donkey Basketball. Approximately $1,200 was donated to Wes Seal to help cover hospital costs for his father who has leukemia.

•Equestrian Club had three shows this year spanning two weekends in September. The new members had to have at least 100 hours of riding over the spring and summer to prepare themselves. Both placing in top ten, Bryan Bitterman was exceptional in his speed classes as was Ray Mulinski in saddle seat.

-Julie Esmer





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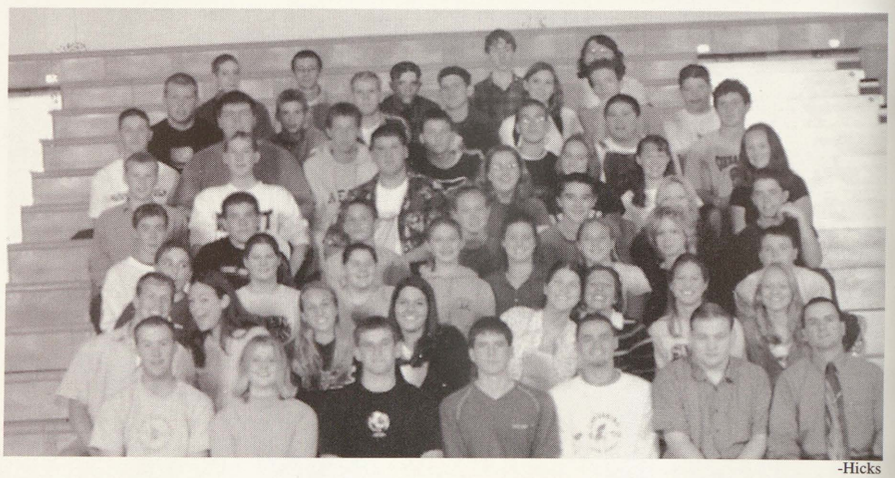
Equestrian Club. *Front:* Kristen Huffman, Beth Douglas, Mac Mishler. *Row 2:* Felicia Hurst, Kaye Bitterman, Bryan Bitterman. *Row 3:* Ray Mulinski.



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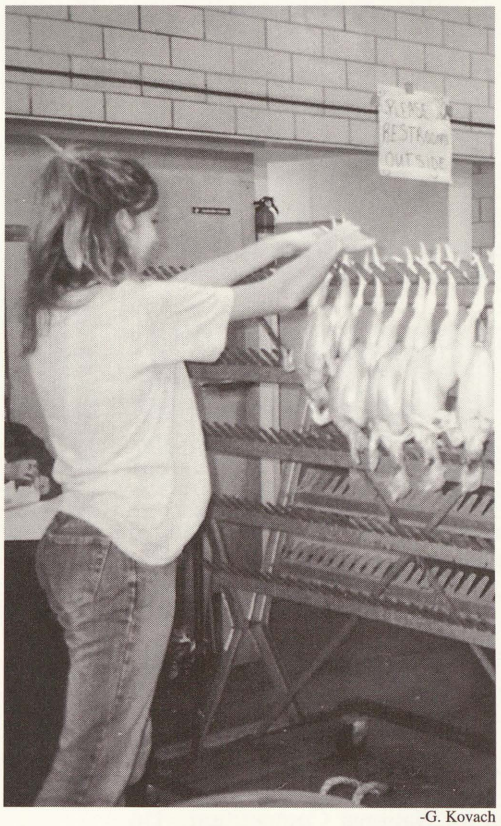
FFA. *Front:* B. Neumeyer, K. Bitterman, A. Tomac, B. Bitterman, C. Martin, W. Seal, Mr. Kovach. *Row 2:* C. Barancik, L. Moore, J. Moore, L. Beldyga, A. Weisenberger, C. Wendling, K. Kunik, C. Kukulis. *Row 3:* N. Thiel, T. Jacobs, J. Jacobs, J. Richardson, T. Mongeon, B. Reiber, C. Keys, J. Chrysler. *Row 4:* D. Irland, M. Beldyga, P. Barancik, G. McClure, B. Reiber, A. Nixon, J. Schneider. *Row 5:* J. Hudecek, J. Elrod, T. Kozlowski, C. Kulhanek, J. Smith, A. Wesener, A. Manser. *Row 6:* A. Baker, S. Czeiszperger, R. Delong, P. Theil, B. Brainerd, C. Dugalech, J. Turnwald. *Row 7:* R. Luft, D. Eickholt, R. Coe, D. Eker, K. Dunum, B. Clark, S. Schneider. *Back:* A. Spencer, R. Tomac, P. Bemiss, T. Tkaczyk, B. Darling. *Missing:* G. Hudecek, B. Lorencz and J. Tompa.

Jennifer Leggett

-K. Huffman

Quit Horsing Around! Felicia Hurst finishes grooming her horse, Manly, an Arab Buckskin. "The season wasn't as good as I wanted it to be, but we tried our best and still had fun," Felicia said.

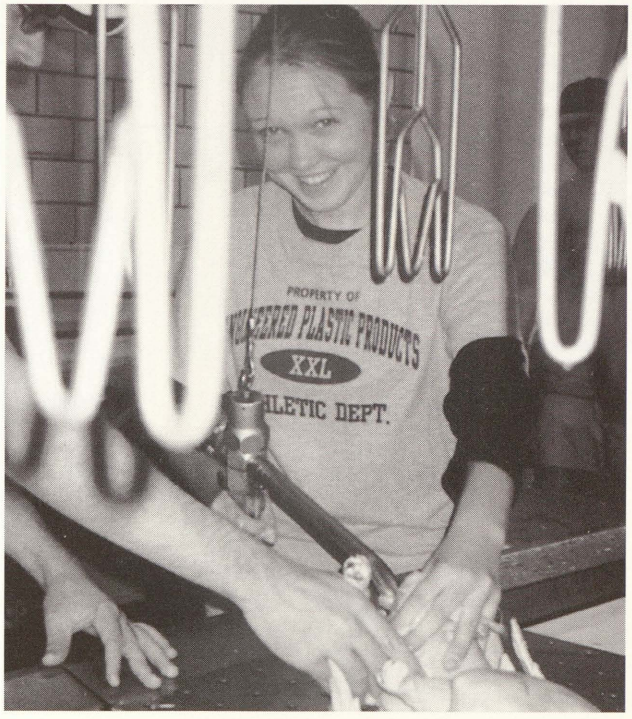
Feather-less Frenzy. Jessica Richardson hangs up the last of the five birds our FFA took to the FFA Poultry Improvement Project at MSU. After the birds were evaluated, the FFA had a lab write up describing how the chickens were raised and what their diet consisted of, along with other elements which affected them.



-G. Kovach

Mmm... Tastes Like Chicken. Chris Barancik, Wes Seal and Cory Martin barbaque chickens for the annual Chicken Appreciation Dinner. FFA raised 150 chickens altogether. The Chicken Appreciation Dinner for teachers and FFA Alumni used 80 birds alone.

-Z. Alden



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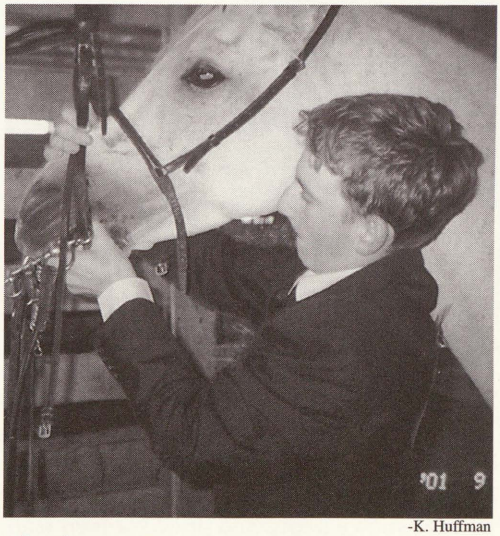
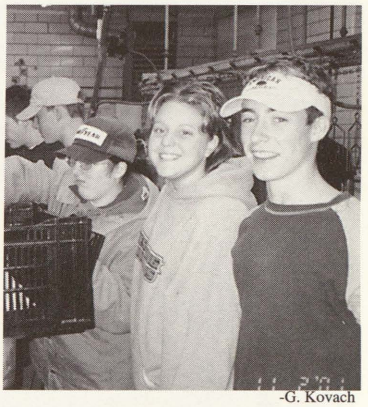


-K. Huffman

The Mane Event. Ray Mulinski bridles his horse, Snick. "We did all right, even with a small team," Ray said about this year's season.

Not So Pretty Poultry. Gerilyn McClure sucks the guts out of one of chickens with a hose. "He let me do it because I was the only girl standing there," Gerilyn said.

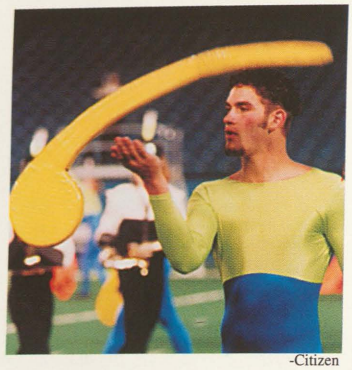


-G. Kovach

Dance like a Chicken. Trisha Fisher and Dennis Irland watch as several chickens are placed in a tumbler. FFA participated in the FFA Poultry Improvement Project. Each FFA around the state were given chickens of the same genetic background. They had six weeks to raise them and then take the five best birds back to MSU to be evaluated by the staff.

Whether marching at band camp or in the RCA Dome, the Marching Indians have proved they have...

Hearts of Gold



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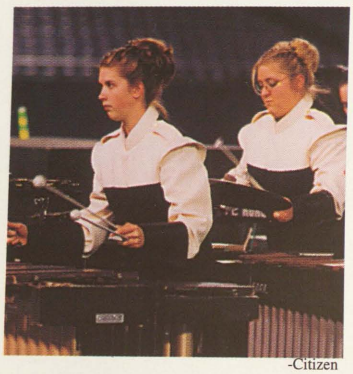
In The Air. Randy Coole throws the "comma" into the air. Randy is one of two guys in the color guard. "Everyone said I was lucky to be around all the girls," said Randy.



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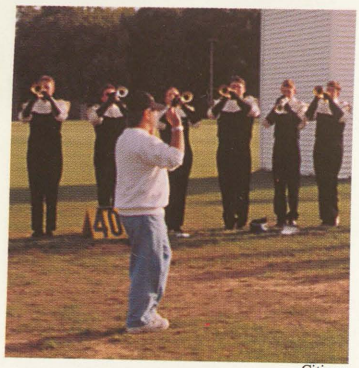
Listen Back. Erica Shuster and Anna Brown play attentively. "I was disappointed at States because we didn't win, but we had a good show," commented Anna.



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Watch For The Rip. Mr. Taton warms up the high and low brass before a football game. The trumpet section leader is in charge of a "rip." This is when the section goes to front and player raises his horn to the up position one after another.

"I thought this year's marching show was very difficult and performed to the best of our abilities. We had a great season. We challenged ourselves and I am very proud of all our accomplishments for the 2001 marching band season," commented band director Matt Taton.

The Marching Indians' hard work and dedication started at C.M.U. during band camp. "During band camp it was about 90 degrees outside, the guys on our floor decided to have a water fight. Then, the staff came and made us stop," said Andy Theil, senior. From camp, the Indian marchers started their regular practice schedule, Monday and Wednesday nights from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. To show their dedication to marching band, the clarinet section came to practice an hour early every Monday. Through dedicated acts such as this, the Indians knew they were on their way to a great season.

At State Finals in the Pontiac Silverdome, the Indians took the field proudly and played the best show ever in Chesaning Marching Band history. The band waited in anticipation for the judges' final score. In the end the Indians took 2nd in Flight IV. "All the hard work we did paid off. We all had a blast," said sophomore Annette Kosin.

The next week the Indians were off to Indianapolis for National Competition. On Thursday at 8:15 p.m. the Indians took the field with energy. They were going to make this performance the best. As Chesaning came off the field either in happy tears or happy cheers. They knew they had done exactly what they had been working for all season.

Again the Indians were waiting for the judges' decision. Chesaning was called 13th of the 34 Semi-Finalist bands that would be performing the next day.

Chesaning took the field early the next morning to perform in Grand National Semi-Finals. They knew they had received the gift they had been working for the entire season, a place in Semi-Finals.

The Chesaning Marching Indians have always shown a love and pride for their staff, school, and fellow members. They have endured many triumphs and defeats but through everything they have stayed positive and have earned a gold medal within themselves.

-Mary Hughes

Stage Flight. Matt Maslowski, Elisabeth Sims, and Gina Glasscock are featured on the stage. "I had technical difficulties getting on and off the stage. I tripped off the stage more than once," said Gina.

Jessica Harris

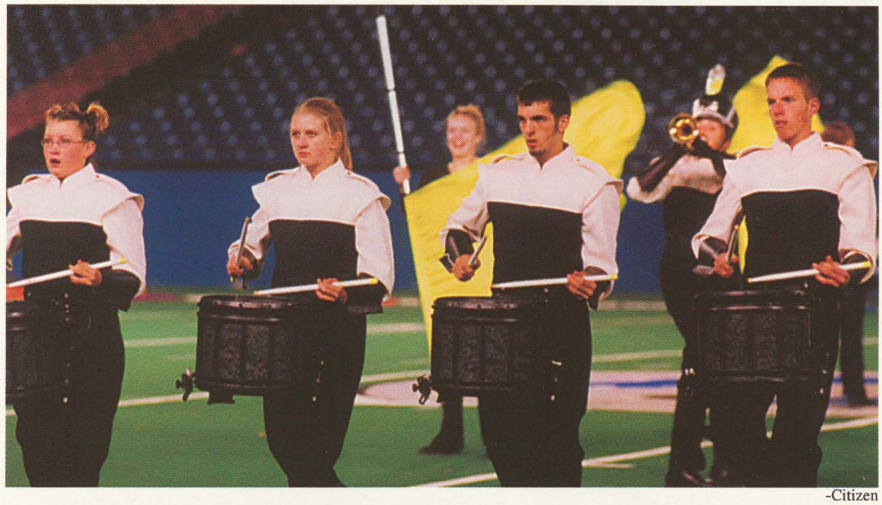
-Citizen

Indian Pride. Hannah McDougall, Carrie Hudecek, Grace Stover, and Jessie Bates display the 2001 Flight IV second place trophy. Chesaning Marching Band has placed second in Flight IV the last 4 years.

-Citizen

Performance. Holly Garno and Kristen Hedrich rock the Silver Dome. "I wanted a challenge and to try something new," said Kristen Hedrich. Kristen joined the color guard as a junior for this season.

Hats Off. Sam Reetz, Laura Kensrud, Courtney Reinhardt, and Jeremy Hoover groove to the opening of the show. "At the beginning of the show the snare drums really got into the music. It was fun and laid back," said Laura Kensrud.



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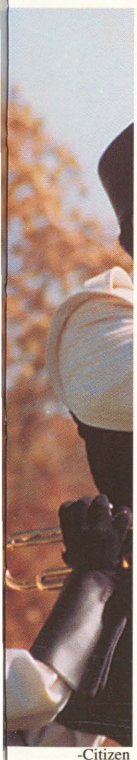

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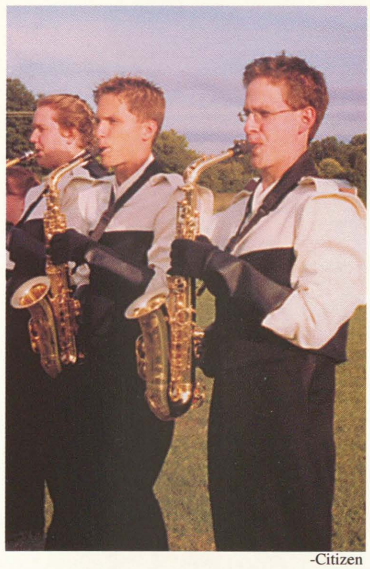

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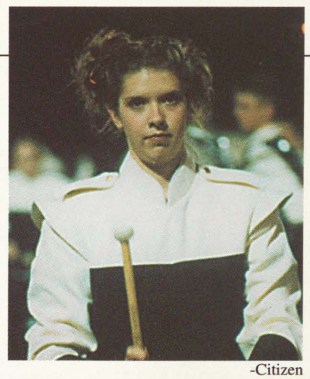
Warming Up. Seniors Ryan Cramer, Chad Soukup, and Holly Garno are it up to warm up before a football game. This was both Ryan and Chad's fifth year in the marching band.



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"During the opening part of our marching show was the drum feature. It was the pit's favorite part of the show because the girls in our section got to play drums."

- Erica Shuster, senior

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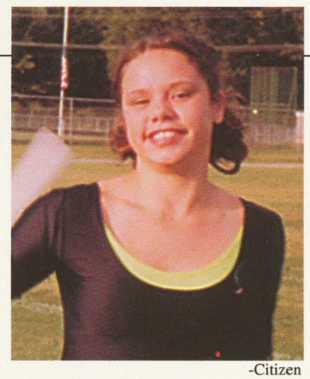
"I had a lot of fun in Marching Band this year and even though we didn't win states I felt the season was very successful. We got into semi finals, which was very cool. I am going to miss marching and the people in it."

- Carrie Hudecek, senior



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"I wear my angel pin because my great grand mother gave it to me for luck. I've worn it every year during all our marching competitions. I feel that it works."

-Samantha Jeffers, sophomore

Their Two Cents

.....We're With ..... The Band

Drum-majors. Grace Stover and Carrie Hudecek

Mellophones. Annette Kosin, Sandra Tarrant, Christine Hudecek, Mary Hughes, Bradley Maslowski, Justin Kemppainen

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Saxophones. Chad Soukup, Holly Garno, Ryan Cramer, Whitney Houston, Troy Turnwald, Jessie Reed, Nicole Ambrose, Karl Schubert

-J. Shaw

Cory Mrazik

-J. Shaw

Clarinets. Nichole Knoellinger, Trisha Schnell, Kristan Bocek, Stacy Langworthy, Melissa Knoellinger, Jennifer Jungnitsch, Samantha Kettle, Lisa Piwowarski

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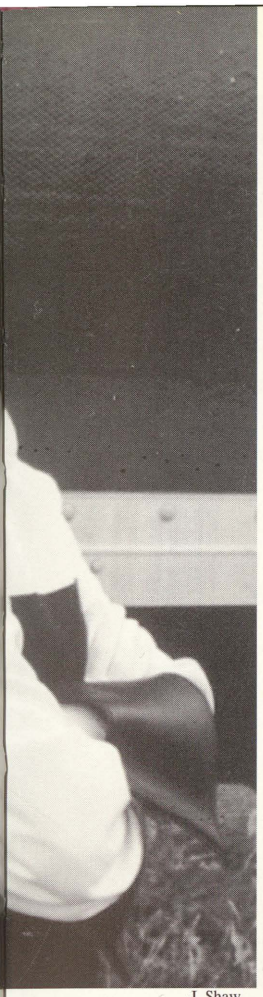
Tubas. Cory Conley, Jarod Hughes, Chris Goward

Flutes. Marie Brownell, Caitlyn Kienitz, Nicole Hawes, Trisha Martin, Mallorie Vrable



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Pit. Elizabeth Brownell, Rachal VanHaaren, Anna Brown, David Garno, Jeni Leggett, Jim Lee, Christie Lehman, Betsy Gewirtz, Nika Fesler, Cathy Mocny, Erica Shuster, Rachael Dewey, Tom Ebenhoeh, Kelly Losee

-J. Shaw

Low Brass. Steven Nixon, Ray Mulinski, Stephen Bublitz, Nate Beery, Andy Thiel, Tim Martin, Jason Hedrich, Ryan Koch, Matt Brownell, Greg Reeves, Nick Dudek, Kenny Reyes

-J. Shaw

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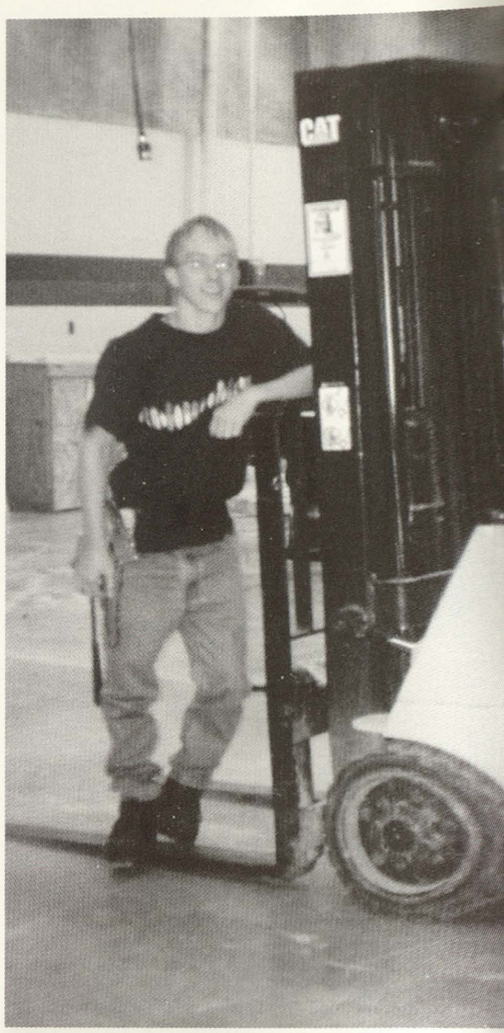
Color Guard. Sheena Banghart, Angela Birchmeier, Jay Cooper, Jodi Cassidy, Jodi Hattendorf, Kasey Taylor, Angela Letson, Chelsey Fry, Allyson Parson, Katie Toma, Jamie Potter, Alyssa Shooltz, Andria Manser, Caitlin Stasa, Samantha Jeffers, Kristen Hedrich, Jessica Bates, April Wiles, Hannah McDougall

-J. Shaw

Drumline. Jeremy Hoover, Laura Kensrud, Bill Perkins, Trevor Atkinson, Courtney Reinhardt, Samantha Reetz, Jessica Harris, Geri McClure, Amanda Thiel, Laura Waswick, Kevin Parson

Not Pictured:
Trumpets. James Leggett, Nicole Turnwald, Aaron Leckenby, Gina Glasscock, Gordon Reeves, Mike Murdoch, Elizabeth Sims, Matt Maslowski, Heather Garno

Heavy Metal. Jason Tompa and Brent Lorencz ride around on a forklift during their COC class. "I was in the building construction class, and we constructed a house for the Habitat for Humanity. The teacher was pretty cool, because he was younger and let us get away with a lot of stuff," said Jason.

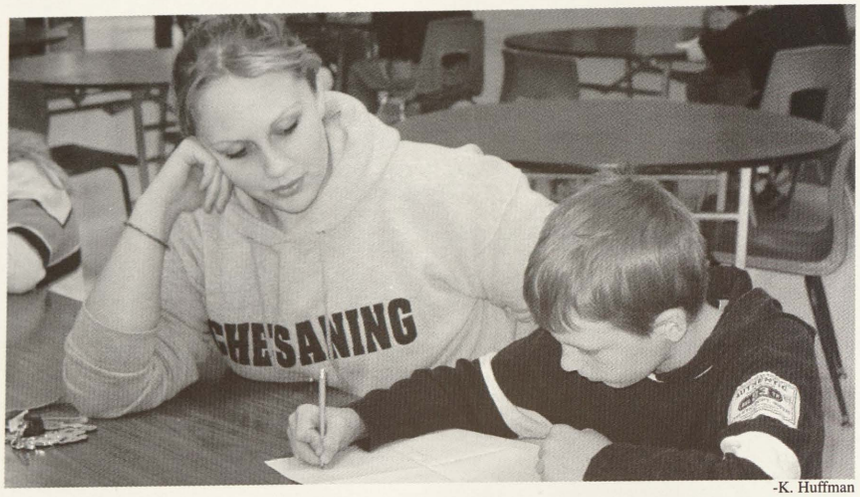


Heads Up. Stacy Lorencz, Ashley Graham and Leslie Trumble display their mannequin heads and their new hair do's in their Cosmetology class. "The class is a real fun experience, but it's hard. Anything below 85% is failing. The mannequin heads are scary!" said Leslie.

-J. Shaw

Lacey Moore

Mentor Madness. Elyse Stickel helps a boy from the middle school with his school work.



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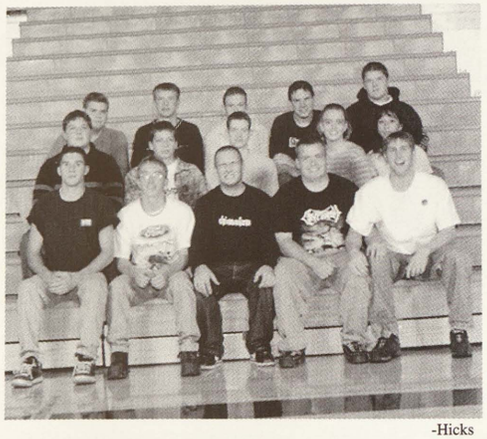
Work Experience. *Front:* Brad Haney, Karen Bridgewater, Cristy Lamrouex, Nicole Call. *Middle:* Kerissa Shindorf, Jenny Kelbey, Courtney Ratliff, Kelly Wolfe. *Back:* Royal Chrysler, Shaun Czeiszperger.



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Saginaw Career Complex. *Front:* Craig Barancik, Jason Tompa, Paul Bissonnette, Matt McKay, Mark Quaderer. *Middle:* Dan Chernow, Brent Lorencz, Chris Ruhl, Holly Palmer, Sara Solano. *Back:* Dustin Delbridge, Greg Hudecek, Jason Vollmer, Jeremy Phillips, Andy Chernow.

-Hicks

Cosmetology. *Front:* Ashley Graham, Sarah Moss Erica Walker, Cortney Adams. *Back:* Leslie Trumble Stacy Lorencz, Rachael Neumeyer, Renee Hernandez.

Students in COC, Cosmetology, Work Experience and Mentoring spend time...

Learning Elsewhere...

When the lunch bell rings most of the students in CHS rush for the cafeteria, but a few kids race to their cars. Cosmetology, C.O.C, work experience, and mentoring are courses that allow students to get out of school after and before lunch to experience new things. Students who are involved in these programs leave school to explore their career interests.

"I took cosmetology because ever since I was little I wanted to do hair," said senior Erica Walker and added that, "When you're only here half the day you don't get sick of sitting in class. We get to do a variety of things."

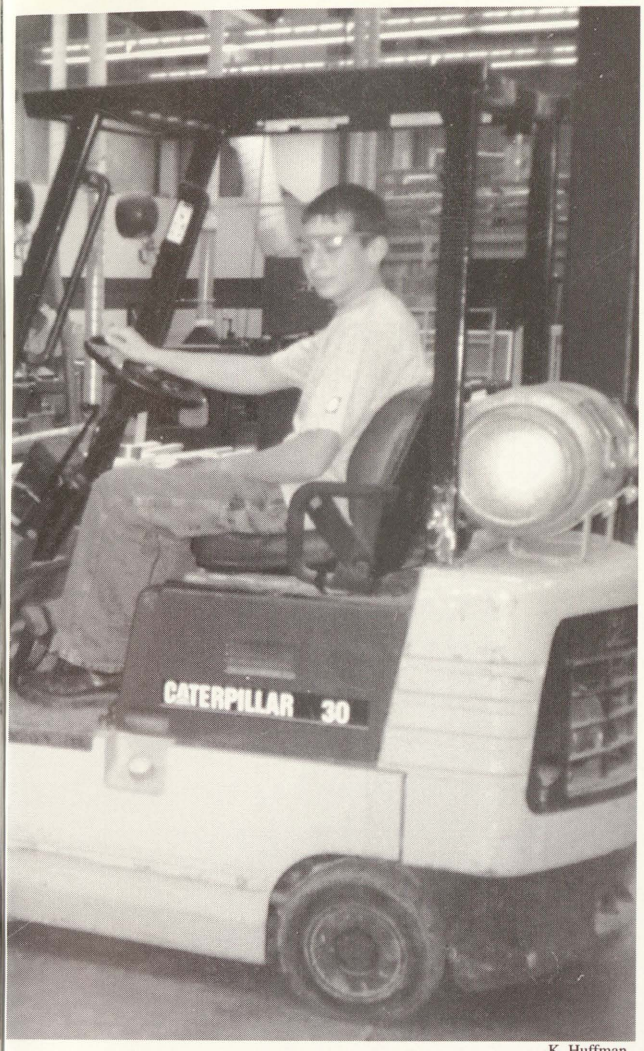
Although classes such as cosmetology get kids out of school, there are some disadvantages. "I don't like missing assemblies in third block, and lunch activities," said senior Courtney Adams.

The C.O.C program also allows students to leave school and get their feet wet in the job market. "C.O.C allows you to work at plants like Delphi. It gets you ready for the job world. You also get to do some things you wouldn't be able to do if you were sitting in a classroom," said senior Andy Chernow.

Work experience let students work at their job during school hours. "I like getting out of school early so I can take a nap before work," said senior Karen Bridgewater and added that, "I don't like the angry customers that I sometimes have to deal with at McDonald's."

Student mentoring is a program where the high school students get to pass down their knowledge to some younger kids. "I like mentoring at the middle school, because I went to Our Lady and I've never really seen what things are like there," said Cara Gross.

-Zac Alden



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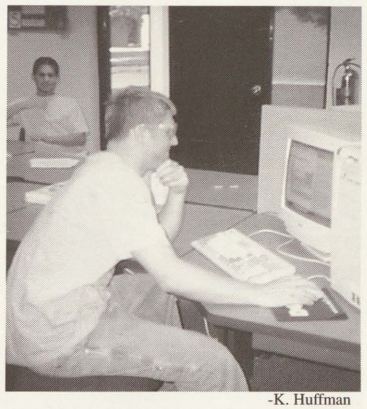
I Want to File Away. Senior Kelly Wolfe searches through some files at the St. Mary's Health Center in Chesaning. "I started working there my junior year. They work around my schedule and I don't have to work on the weekends," said Kelly. "Thursday's are my hectic days. I take over the job of my supervisor, so I have more to do."

-K. Huffman

Pizza Pie. Cristy Lamrouex measures some dough for a pizza at Zachary's. "I thought it would be neat to work during school, but I found out that I would rather stay here with my friends," said Cristy.



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Computer Crazy. Mark Quaderer busily types away in one of his classes for COC. "I like going to COC, but all the Saginaw kids are always trying to teach me how to do baby circles," said Mark.

-M. Zajdlik

Elementary, my dear Mentor. Michelle Zajdlik helps a girl with her worksheet at Brady elementary. "Even though it was fun, I decided that I didn't want to be a teacher because the hour and a half was enough time for me," said Michelle.

After several long plane rides and layovers, twelve students arrived in Europe ready to...

Fly High Overseas

-J. Esmer

On Guard! Leah Kulhanek tests a sword at a shop in Toledo, Spain. Toledo was once the capital of Spain, but now is a nearly deserted city. The tour guide told the group that Toledo held over 20 churches at one time, giving truth to the expression: "Holy Toledo!"

Steve Hunt

-L. Kulkanek

Turbulence, More Like Brrrrbulence! Most of the group agreed the worst part of the trip was the plane ride from New York to Belgium. The ride was seven hours and the air conditioning was on high. "I was freezing the whole ride," Korey Stasa said. "All I had was a sweatshirt and a thin blanket. It was really hard to sleep or relax at all."

The summer after my sophomore year, I received a letter in the mail from Mrs. Galm. The letter said she was interested in getting a group together to take a trip to Europe. Several students took the plunge overseas.

After nearly 24 hours of layovers and plane changes, we arrived in Madrid, Spain. Our first excursion was a little tour of the city. First we went to the Royal Palace, which has over 1,100 rooms. The group spent our second day in Toledo, the former capital. We toured several old cathedrals and synagogues. "My favorite part of the entire trip was our day in Toledo. It was exactly what I thought Europe should be like. It was a little deserted town with small buildings and no crowds," said Leah Kulhanek. "Then later that night we went a club that was eight stories high. Each story had a different type of music, and the top floor was actually outside."

Then we were off to Paris. We took an over night train ride to the City of Love. While in Paris, we saw some of the most famous monuments in the world: the Mona Lisa, Venus de Milo, the Eiffel Tower, Moulin Rouge, Arc de Triomphe and the Versailles Palace. "The coolest part of trip was visiting the Lourve museum," Alyssa Emmendorfer said. "We only could spend two hours there and it wasn't nearly enough. It was exciting to see the Mona Lisa. The painting is covered in glass so picture wouldn't be damaged. There's always a huge crowd around it, and we couldn't get to the front."

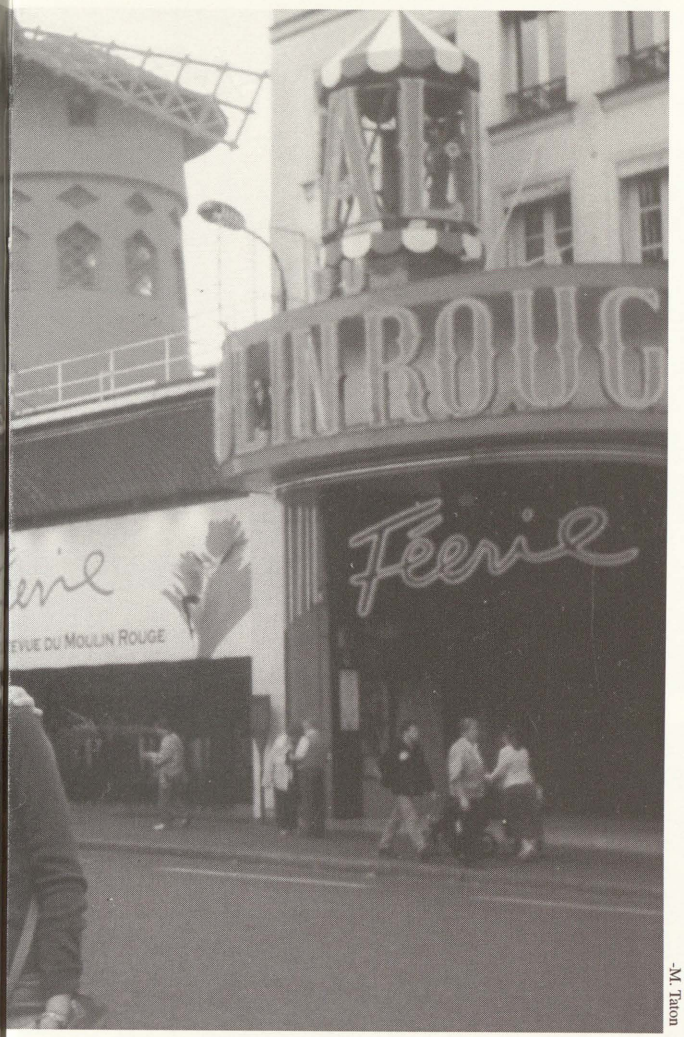
Twelve students paid the $2,000 and took a trip of a lifetime. We will never forget the 10 days overseas.

-Julie Esmer

-J. Gal

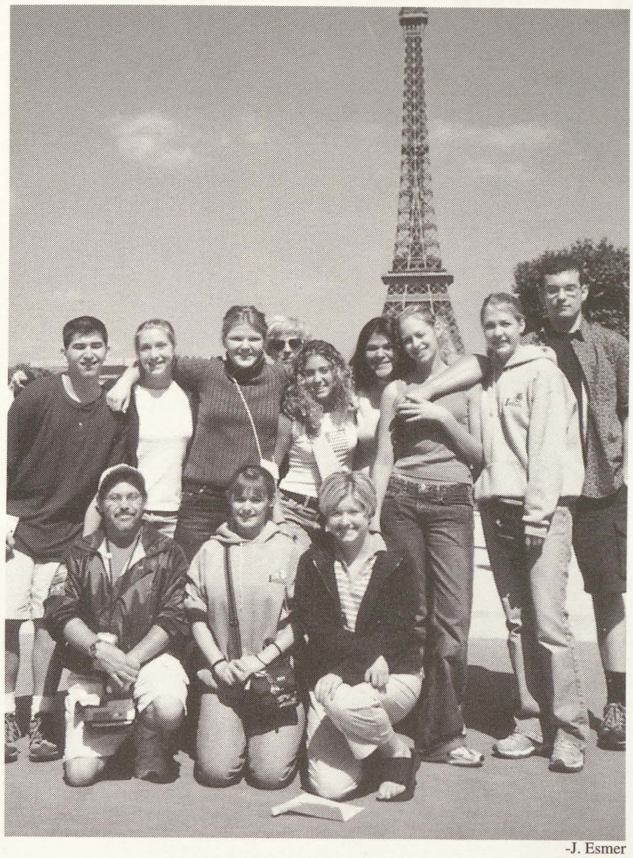
Don't Speak. For their last day in Spain, Mr. Taton, Korey Stasa, Julie Esmer, Leah Kulhanek and Gary Ryckaert visited Reitro Park in Madrid. "Leah, Julie and I ate at Subway before we went to the park. Julie and Leah were really excited about it, because they both work at Subway in town. But the worker didn't like Leah very much, probably because she wasn't speaking very good Spanish. He said a few mean things to Leah, and everyone in Subway was looking at her. She got really scared and she and Julie told me to eat outside," Gary said.

Strike One Strike Two. Whil shopping in Paris, Nicol Moore, Misty Koan, Mrs Galm, Gary Ryckaert, Ms Duranleau, and Alyss Emmendorfer stopped t visit the Arc de Triomphe "We couldn't go in the Arc because the workers were striking. They were ever striking at the Lourve the day after we went, and another group couldn't go in," Alyssa said.



-M. Taton

At The Moulin Rouge. Their first day in Paris, the group stopped at the Moulin Rouge on the way to dinner. They were excited to see the location of the famous movie "Moulin Rouge" and the subject of the hit song "Lady Marmalade."



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Tower Power. The group took a trip to the top of the Eiffel Tower on one evening while in Paris. "The lines were so long getting up and down the Tower that you really could only spend 15 minutes up there. It probably took another good half hour to get back down," said Leah Kulhanek.

-J. Galm

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So Where Are We? Alyssa Emmendorfer and Zea Miller look at maps at the Versailles Castle in Paris. Versailles has over 900 rooms, but the royal family doesn't even live there anymore.

Amazing costumes, imaginary weapons, and man-eating monsters made The Clumsy Custard Horror Show

..... Heavenly Horrifying

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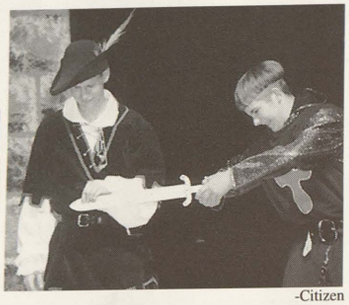
Get a Head in Life. James Leggett chats with Brandi Bitterman, who plays Head formally known as Wanda. "Because I was in a box, I got really cramped up but I got to get out of it back stage," said Brandi.



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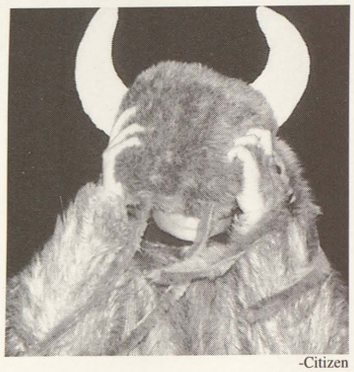
Superior Strength. Mike Murdoch, as a knight from Zob Proper, tries to pull the sword from Swashbuck Valparsio (Ryan Cramer). "When Ryan let go, I did a back flip. One time I landed on a metal thing and bruised my elbow," said Mike.



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Gobble, Gobble, Gobble. Stephen Bublitz is attacked by a deadly turkey spider as he and Ryan Cramer try to escape the forcefield they have been put into by the evil Lord Dacron. "Andy Thiel had to throw the turkey spider out at me and every time he would miss. I would almost have to pick it up from the floor and fling it at my face," said Stephen.

Off the wall and wacky is the only way to describe CAPA's fall production of *The Clumsy Custard Horror Show*. Narrating the story was Arnus Bohem played by Tom Ebenhoeh. Keeping to the unconventional, this play started with the shouts and cries off stage for their star Arnus, who was nowhere to be found. But soon all was well when he appeared onstage right at his cue.

The audience had to participate during many scenes of the play. "At the beginning of the play, Annette and I had to crawl through the audience for the entrance of our first scene. It was interesting seeing the people's reactions as we climbed over their heads," commented Nicole Ambrose. During the scene where the Clumsy Custard attacks Swashbuck, his loyal and faithful friend Worfle must collect pennies from the audience to cure Swashbuck of his impotent fast feet. "I had to go through the audience asking for pennies. Little kids would come up to me and give me a handful of pennies," said Stephen Bublitz, who played Worfle.

A climax in the play is an imaginary sword fight between Swashbuck and Lord Dacron. The two men sparred to the stylish polka music *The Chicken Dance* provided by Lord Dacron's ally Malforce. "It was fun to pound away on the fake piano; all I had to do was make it look real," said Justin Kemppainen.

The Clumsy Custard Horror Show sent their audience rolling down the aisles with laughter. Whether interacting or using humorous wit, the cast put on a very heavenly horrifying show.

-Mary Hughes

Someday Her Prince Will Come. Alphasia (Anna Brown) gives Princess Peach (Jodi Cassidy) advice on knowing what love will feel like when it comes along.

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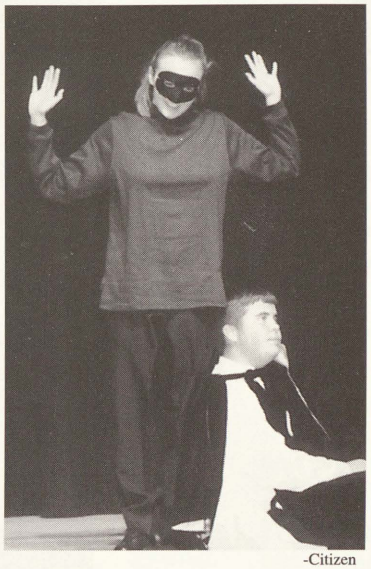
Lovers' Embrace. Ryan Cramer and Jodi Cassidy share a warm embrace as Swashbuck and Princess Peach. Swashbuck was Ryan's first leading role.



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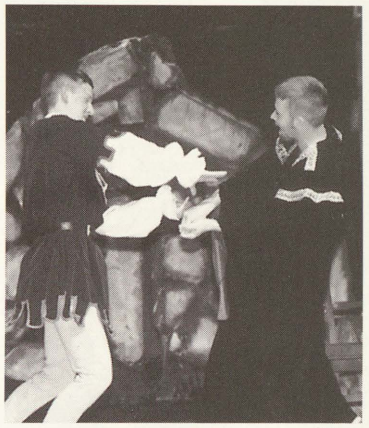
Making Like a Tree. Brynn Call acts out Tom Ebenhoeh's words as he dictates the story of Zob Proper. "I just did whatever Tom told me to do," said Brynn



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S s s s W I N G ! HHHHaWW. Ryan Cramer puts up a good fight against the evil Lord Dacron (James Leggett.) "Orginally, because I wore a robe, I didn't want to wear shorts. But Ryan and I had a fight scene and my underwear became exposed. So, I decided to wear shorts," said James.

-Citizen

Not The Clumsy Custard. Manned by four girls, Mary Hughes, Alyson Parson, Jamie Potter, and Chelsey Fry, the Clumsy Custard attacks the Master of Fast Feet, Swashbuck Valpariso. "We had to curl around the stage to waste time. I ended up chasing my tail at least three times every performance," said Mary.

-Citizen

Creepy Ice Cream Clones. Annette Kosin and Nicole Ambrose portray the evil Ice Cream Clones, Polly and Ester. "I had a lot of fun learning to be evil," commented Annette.

Their Two Cents

-Citizen

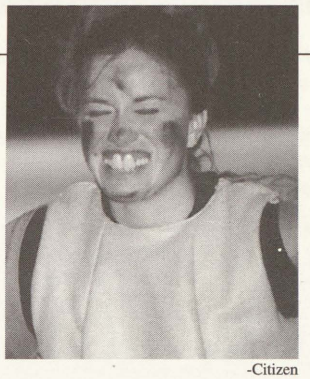
"One of the nights someone put a bench in the wrong place so when I tired to come out of the curtain I tripped over the bench and almost fell over. Then when I tried to get inside the curtain I got caught in it during the performance."

-Stephen Bublitz, junior

-Citizen

"The set crew would put the bench out on the stage for the castle scene and every time it was in a different place. I would go to sit on the bench and had to be careful not to miss it or even fall off to the floor."

-Richard Birchmeier, senior



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"When Annette and I were in front of the stage we would be talking about Jodi. She could hear us but she couldn't laugh at anything we were saying because she was supposed to be in a trance. Our characters were trying capture her in a really dumb way."

-Nicole Ambrose, sophomore

As fourteen girls compete for the 2002 Showboat Queen title, they wondered who would be...

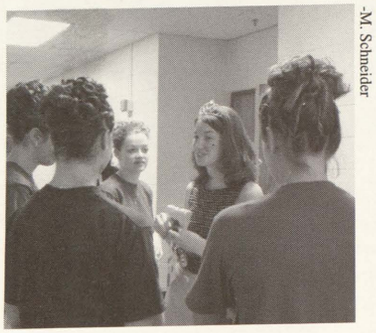
.....Next In Line

-N. Bucsi

Wake Up to Make-Up. Pageant member Anndee Gross touches up her make-up before she is interviewed by the judges. "I wanted to be in the pageant because I thought it would be a fun experience and the scholarship money would come in handy, " said Anndee.

-M. Schneider

Why I'm so proud. Nicole Turnwald explains why she's proud to be an American. "I entered the pageant because I thought that it would be a lot of fun. It was something I had wanted to do since I was little."



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A Word of Advice. Last year's first runner-up, Jayme Newton, gives the girls a few tips on what they should and should not do during their interviews.

On January 26, 2002, the 2002 Miss Chesaning Showboat Queen's Pageant was held in the middle school auditorium. Fourteen girls from Chesaning High were ready to compete for the title of Miss Chesaning Showboat and the scholarship money that came along with it.

The night before the pageant, the girls practiced walking in their high heels, and learned the "Only in America" dance for the beginning of the pageant. "We were there for almost three hours. It took so long, and we only got a five minute break in between the practicing!" said Kylee Kunik.

In the beginning of the pageant, each contestant introduced themselves to the judges by saying why they were proud to be an American. Then Gene Riley told the judges more about each contestant so they could get a better understanding of their choices for the Court.

Afterwards, each contestant picked a question out of a basket to answer in front of the crowd. When each girl had answered a question, the judges left to tally up the points and find out who would be the next Miss Chesaning Showboat. During the tallying, the CHS Jazz Ensemble played a few songs, and Gene Riley talked with last year's court to see what they had been up to.

Finally, it was time for the finalists to be announced. Third runner-up was Angela Birchmeier, second runner-up was Melissa Londry, first runner-up was Laura Kensrud and the 2002 Miss Chesaning Showboat Queen was Sara Weigold.

After the pageant, all of the contestants enjoyed a nice dinner at the Chesaning Heritage House.

-Mary Schneider

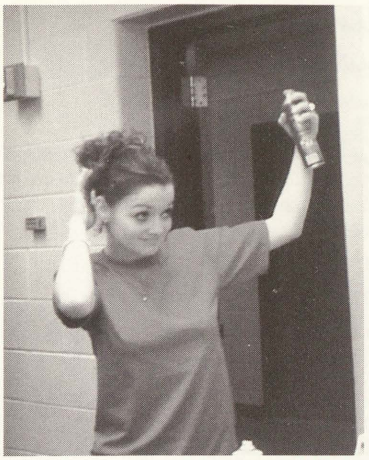
The 2002 Showboat Queen and her Court. First runner-up Laura Kensrud, Queen Sara Weigold, second runner-up Melissa Londry and third runner-up Angie Birchmeier.

Walking the Runway. Christie Lehman does her Showboat walk. "I wanted to be in the pageant because some of my friends were doing it, and it sounded like a fun thing to do before I graduated," said Christie.

-M. Schneider

The Crowning Moment. Last year's queen, Mollie Schlachter, crowns the 2002 Chesaning Showboat Queen, Sara Weigold. "I was really excited and happy," said Sara. "I'm looking forward to meeting Diamond Rio and Alabama and having the title as Showboat Queen!"

Joslin Potter



-N. Bucsi

Spray Away. Tricia Coole does some final touches on her hair before she gets interviewed by the judges. "During the pageant, I was completely relaxed and I wasn't nervous at all. I was happy to see Melissa get second runner-up!" said Tricia.

The Pageant Contestants. *Front:* Cara Wendling, Anndee Gross, Kylee Kunik, Queen Sara Weigold, Laura Kensrud. *Back:* Tricia Coole, Shelly Womack, Hannah McDougall, Melissa Londry, Mary Hughes, Nicole Turnwald, Angela Birchmeier, Carrie Hudecek and Christie Lehman.

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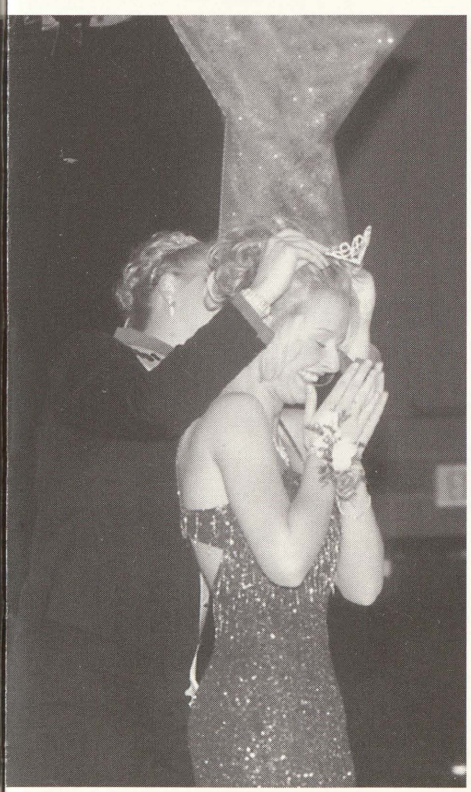

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"While I was on stage during the pageant, all I could think was, 'Smile, smile, smile, don't fall, smile!' The best part was when the jazz band was playing, because I knew it was finally all over with. I was so nervous, and I don't remember half of what I said."

-Mary Hughes, senior.

-M. Schneider

"My friends convinced me to to enter the pageant, plus I thought it would be nice to win some scholarship money. If I could go back and change something that I did during the pageant, I would have shaken the judges' hands when I went into the room for the interviews."

- Carrie Hudecek, senior.

-M. Schneider

"My friends made the whole pageant experience great. They got me flowers, cards, made signs, screamed at the top of their lungs and even made me two homemade crowns. I was happy that I was in the pageant, because I did my best and I had a lot of people there cheering me on."

- Cara Wendling, senior.

Their Two Cents

With Snowcoming ending two days early due to snow days, students were...

.....All Snowed Out

-J. Shaw

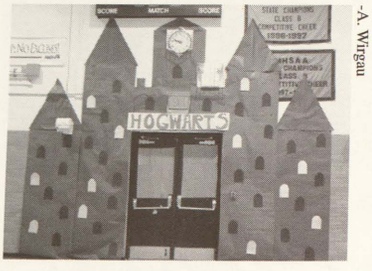
Fighting With Faygo. Junior Brandi Bitterman and Senior Dustin Gross quickly guzzle down Faygo pop to help their class earn points during Snowcoming.

-J. Shaw

Fresh Spirit. Seniors Michelle Agnew and Cara Gross prepare to wheel each other down the gym floor to the other side where they are to eat twinkies. "After I wheeled Michelle back across the floor, she looked at me and asked if she had anything on her face. She had twinkie cream all over the place!!" said Cara.

-A. Wirgau

First Place. Seniors' gym decorating theme of Disney's Hercules.



-A. Wirgau

Second Place. Sophomores' gym decorating theme of Harry Potter.

Spirit Week? I don't think so. This year it was given the name Snowcoming. Since the week is in the middle of winter, and it relates to Homecoming, the Student Council decided to change the name to make the week a little more interesting. Although the name had changed, the week was not much different from the regular Spirit Weeks that CHS has had in the past.

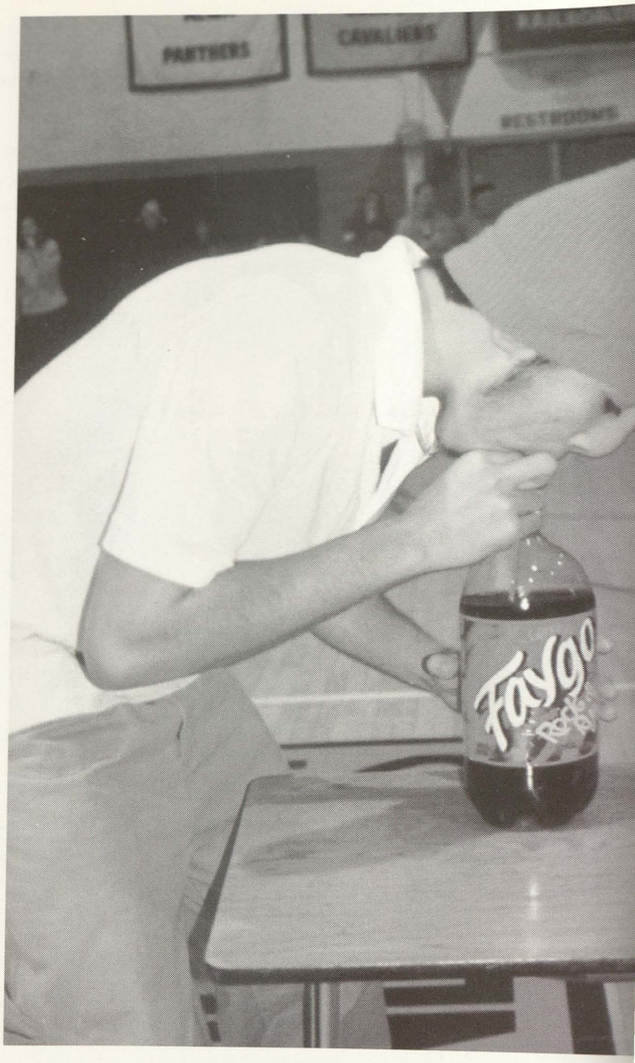
On Monday, students came to school dressed in their pajamas for Get Up and Go Day. This day is a favorite for most students, since they don't have to get ready for school like they normally would. A Nylon Race was played by the different classes during seminar, with the sophomores taking first place.

Tuesday was class color day. Each class had to wear the color that their class was assigned to. Seniors wore purple, juniors wore yellow, sophomores wore green and freshmen wore pink. The seminar game for the day was a Twinkie Wheelbarrow race. That night a game of guys volleyball was played by each class, with the seniors coming out on top in the end.

Wednesday was Bundle Up Day, where students came to school with hats and gloves. Then during seminar, each class had a race to see who could drink a 2-liter of Faygo pop the fastest. After school, each class participated in the gym decorating activity. This year's theme was movies, and the seniors won with their Hercules creation.

Wednesday night a huge snow storm blew through Chesaning leaving nearly a foot of snow on the ground, and cancelling school for Thursday as well as Friday. The pep assembly planned was rescheduled for a later date.

-Mary Schneider



-J. Shaw

Fresh Spirit. A group of freshmen dressed in sleepwear huddle together before the monday seminar game.

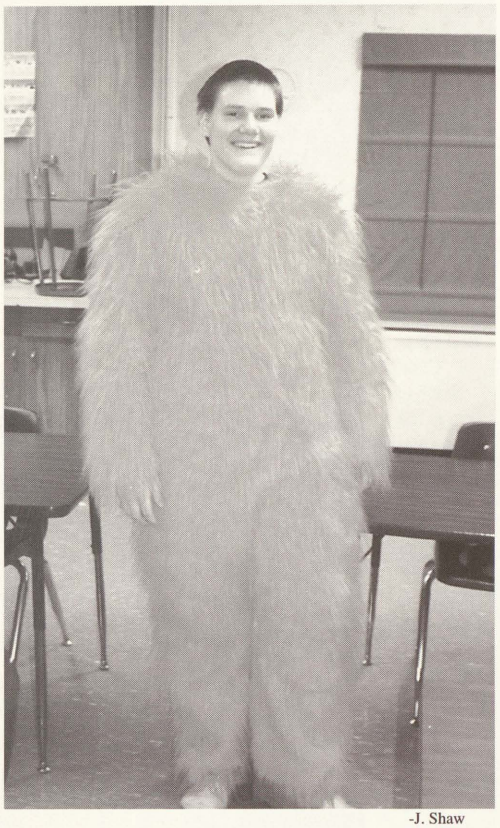
Lunchtime Laziness. Junior Stephen Bublitz and sophomore Gina Glasscock show off their brilliant combination of pajamas. "I wore my Gumby pants and no one knew what they were. Some people thought they were asparagus," said Stephen. "The best part about the whole week was when we got two snow days at the end."

Trevor Lorencz

-J. Shaw

Suck It Up. Freshman Troy Beckman quickly drinks part of a 2 liter pop by using a straw during a seminar game on Wednesday.

Pink Passion. Freshman Ashton Thomas displays his love for pink in his friend's hot pink gorilla suit for Class Color Day. "I wore it the whole day. It got really hot," said Ashton.



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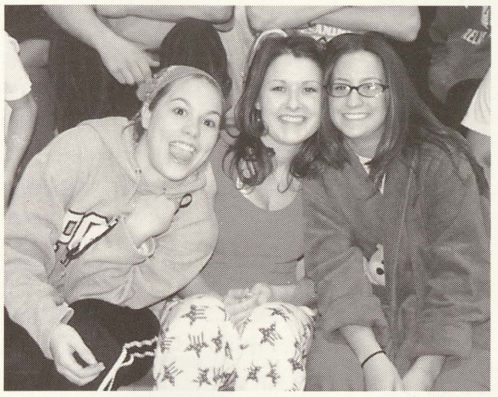
Get Up and Cheer. Juniors Hollie Wendling, Josselyn Gross and Brooke Cannon get ready to cheer during Monday's seminar game. "I love wearing p.j.'s. I slept in all day and didn't have to get ready," said Josselyn. "I liked the seminar games and that everyone participated in the dress-up days. I had fun this year!"



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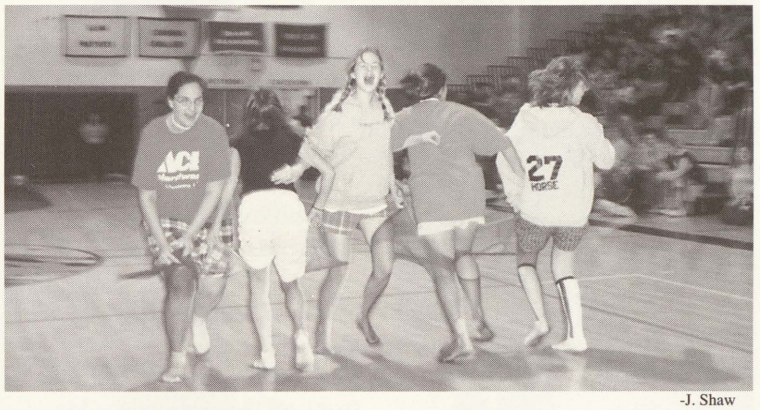
Nylon Runs. Sophomores Hollie Adelberg, Trisha Brian, Christina Cannon, Allison Alexander and Jessica Harris compete in the Nylon Race, which was Monday's seminar game.



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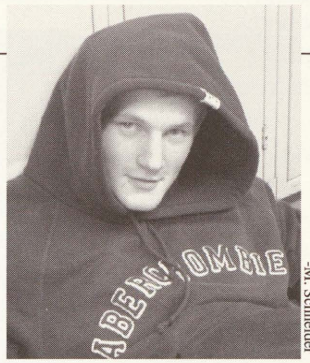

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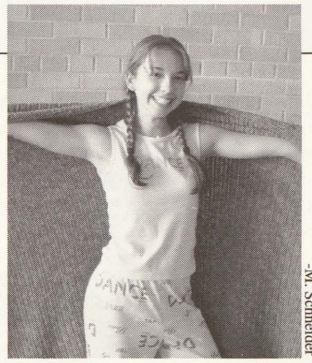


-M. Schneider

"What I liked best about Spirit Week was how people got creative, and how the school bonded together. Get Up and Go Day was great, because I got to wear stuff that I would wear around the house. I was really comfortable all day. I really enjoyed the snow days at the end of the week, too."

-Kellen Lister, sophomore.

"For the Twinkie race during seminar, we had to wheelbarrow someone from our class down the gym floor with a twinkie in our mouth, and when we got to the end we had to eat it as fast as we could. I thought it was hard. I tripped over my hand! I did like twinkies, but I don't anymore. It made me sick!"

- Chelsey Fry, freshman.

"For Get Up and Go Day, I wore some pajamas that I found at Limited Too, and I brought a blanket that Megan Smith's mom crocheted for me. I liked being able to stay warm in school! My favorite part about Snowcoming was gym decorating because our castle turned out so great!"

- Annette Kosin, sophomore.

Their Two Cents

Oscar's Night 2002 was a night to honor CHS and its...

.....Shining Stars

-A. McConnell

His Cheeseburger. Brynn Call and Mary Schneider perform the song "His Cheeseburger" for the Oscar's crowd. "We learned the song from one of our friends at Ferris, and we have been singing it ever since. It's such a fun song!" said Mary.

Tricia Coole

-A. Wirgau

Why aren't WE nominated? Brad Devereaux and Blair Giesken present the award for *Inseperable Duo*. "To present the award, Brad and I did a skit and acted like we were best friends, but then we got into a big fight onstage," said Blair.

-A. Wirgau

When the Saints Go Marching In. Cara Wendling plays the harmonica for the Oscar's. Cara just learned how to play the harmonica a week before she did the act.

The Chesaning High School Student Council put together its second annual Oscars Ceremony on February 6th, 2002.

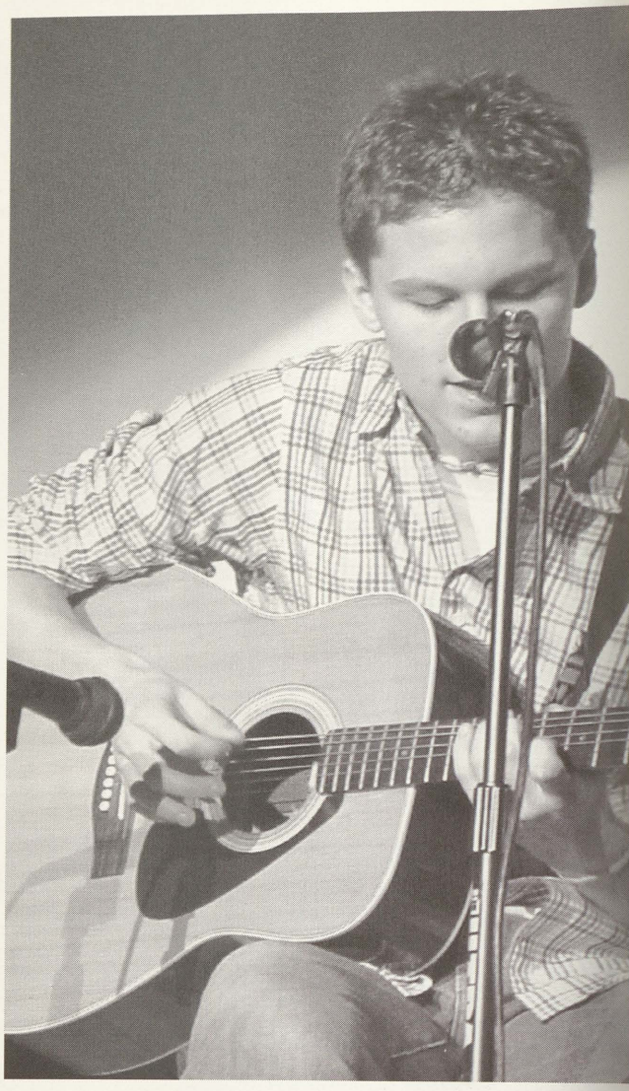
During the weeks before the actual night, students at CHS had the chance to vote for three people that they thought would be good nominees for the selected categories. When a list of the top five nominees for each category was established, students then voted for the person who they thought should win a award for that category. So, on Oscar's Night, the winners of the awards were finally revealed, with many entertaining acts in between the awards being presented.

The acts in the show were very entertaining. Chad Soukup and Stephen Bublitz each played the guitar, while Cara Wendling played the harmonica. Elyse Stickel, Ashley Denton and Chelsey Fry each sang a solo in front of the audience. Maggie Hyatt did a tap dance for the night, and Annette Kosin choreographed a swing dance that eight students danced along with. Tom Ebenhoeh and Russ Dones did a comedy skit, while Dave Emmendorfer and Jeremy Wolverton showed their final sword fight on video.

The host and hostess for the night were Rich Price and Melanie Vrable. Student Council members presented the awards for the evening to prepare the audience for the winners of the Oscar awards. A picture of each of the nominees was displayed on a power-point presentation that ran through out the show.

Oscar's Night 2002 was a big success, with so many people involved in making it that way.

-Mary Schneider



While His Guitar Gently Weeps. Chad Soukup plays the song "Love Song for No One" by John Mayer to open the Oscar's. "It was a lot of fun. I was a little bit nervous, but it was worth it," said Chad.

Bashful Bag. Kayla Haughton, Lyndsay Gross and Courtney Kunik (inside bag) present the award for Brilliantly Bashful. Student Council members presented the awards in the show.

-A. McConnell

And the Oscar goes to... Kelly Amman accepts the award for Helpful Hand from Carly Selleck and T.J. Aldrich. "I was kind of excited, because I didn't think I was going to win," said Kelly. "I was embarrassed when I had to go up on stage, but it was nice."

-A. Wirgau

Host and Hostess. Melanie Vrable and Richard Price introduce one of the performances to the audience before they go on stage. Melanie and Richard hosted the Oscars this year. "It took a lot of advanced planning," said Melanie. "I was very proud of our Student Council's hard work."

-A. Wirgau

Swinging Away. Sandra Tarrant, Courtney Reinhardt, Kevin Parson, David Garno, Mike Murdoch, Nicole Ambrose, Annette Kosin and Nika Fesler finish their swing dance to "Zuit Suit Riot". "We started practicing a month before Oscar's Night. I had a blast, I love dancing of any kind! I just had so much fun on stage," said Annette.

-A. McConnell

And the Winners are...

Gonna Win A Grammy
Chad Soukup and Laura Kensrud

Helpful Hand
Justin Maxa and Kelly Amman

Orange and Black Award
Russell Dones and Mary Schneider

Unique Individual
Mark Roebuck and Maggie Hyatt

Mr. and Ms. Fix It
Mike Meyer and Kaye Bitterman

Inseperable Duo
Brandon Chrysler and Dustin Gross

Most Likely to be on the Cover of Sports Illustrated
Paul Tithof and Meghan Strachota

Brilliantly Bashful
Andrew Hasse and Jessica Bates

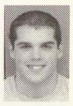
Greatest Giggle
T.J. Aldrich and Jenny Anderson

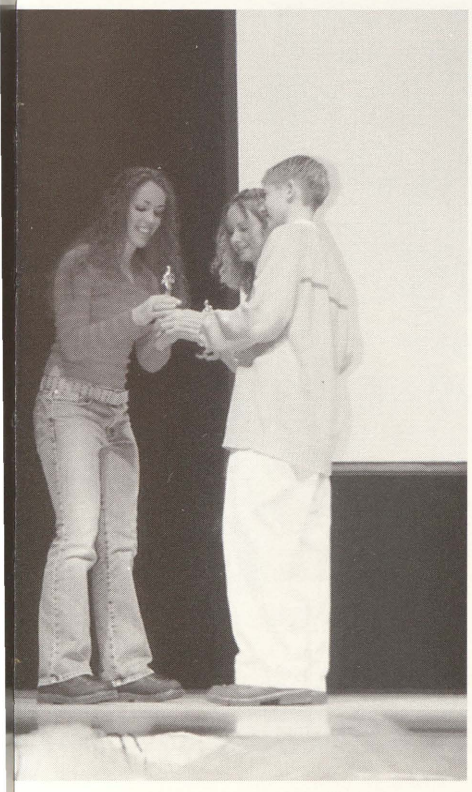
Outrageously Outgoing
Tom Ebenhoeh and Trisha Brian

The Next Picasso
Joe Stroup and Michelle Agnew

Mr. Outdoors and Ms. Martha Stewart
Bryan Bitterman and Jessica Stewart

Match Made in Heaven
Matt McKay and Kelly Wolfe





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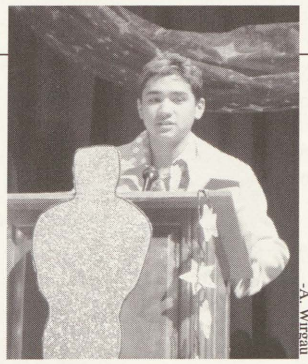
"At the Oscar's I sang *Because you Loved Me* by Celine Dion. I wasn't really that nervous when I was singing. While I was on stage, I was trying not to mess up because I did at the rehearsal the night before."

-Ashley Denton, sophomore.



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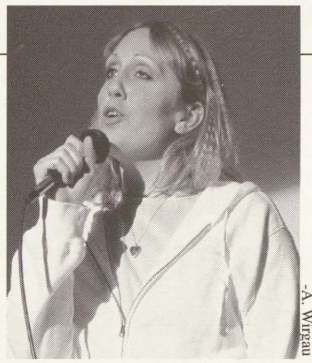
"When I heard that I had won the Orange and Black Award, I jumped up and down like Michael Jackson and MC Hammer. I was deeply excited. When I accepted the award, I thanked my mom, dad and my grandma and grandpa. I think it's great that people thought that I deserved it."

- Russell Dones, junior.



-A. Wirgau

"I love to sing, so I'll pretty much sing anywhere. I sang the song *Time after Time* by Cindy Lauper. The song has a lot of personal meaning to me. I was a little nervous, but once I got out there and people started screaming I wasn't nervous anymore."

- Elyse Stickel, senior.

Their Two Cents

With such an exciting football season, it was hard not to be one of the...

.....Football Fans

-Argus Press

Woo Hoo! Jessie Platt cheers for Chesaning as they score a touchdown. The best part of the games was cheering as loud as I could," said Jessie.

Whether it's a close game at home, or an eight hour drive to Marquette, Indian fans stayed loyal to their team. Not only high school students, but also parents, grandparents, siblings, friends, alumni and even football fans from other towns came to support the team.

"My favorite thing about the football games is the tradition that goes along with them. I haven't missed a game since my freshman year," said senior Sara Weigold. "I also enjoy watching boys in tight pants grunting, growling and tackling each other."

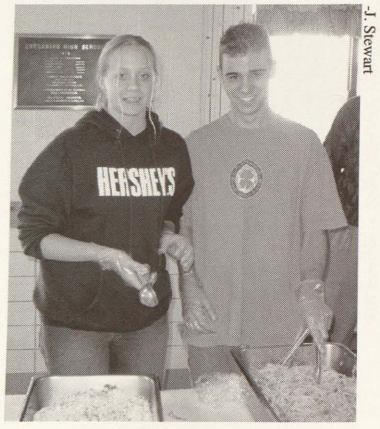
As the town of Chesaning arrived at the Silver Dome in Pontiac, the aroma of Indian pride filled the air. The cheerleaders pumped the crowd up, while many people waited in anticipation for their chance to be on the *big screen*.

After the big victory, Indian fans celebrated at the KC Hall. The football games were fun for every age in Chesaning.

-Mary Schneider

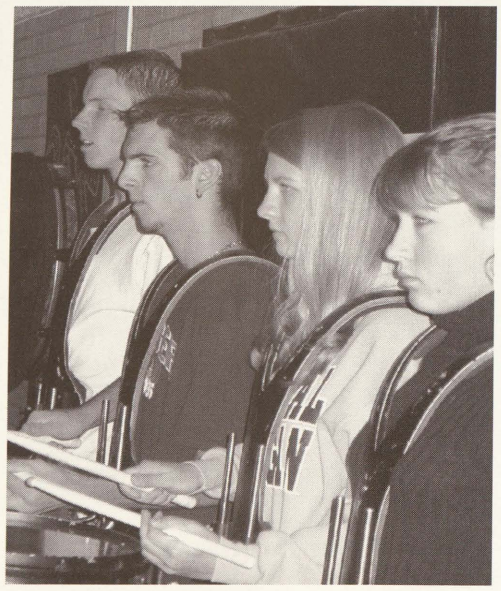
-Citizen

More than just a Fan. Jeff Reiber dressed up as our school's mascot, during the game against Dewitt. He spray-painted the feathers on his headband, and wore a real Indian necklace just for the occasion.



-J. Stewart

Would you like Potato Salad with that? Kristin Prince and Greg Newland help serve the food for the lunchtime tailgate. Student Council helped with the even planned by high school's lunch staff.



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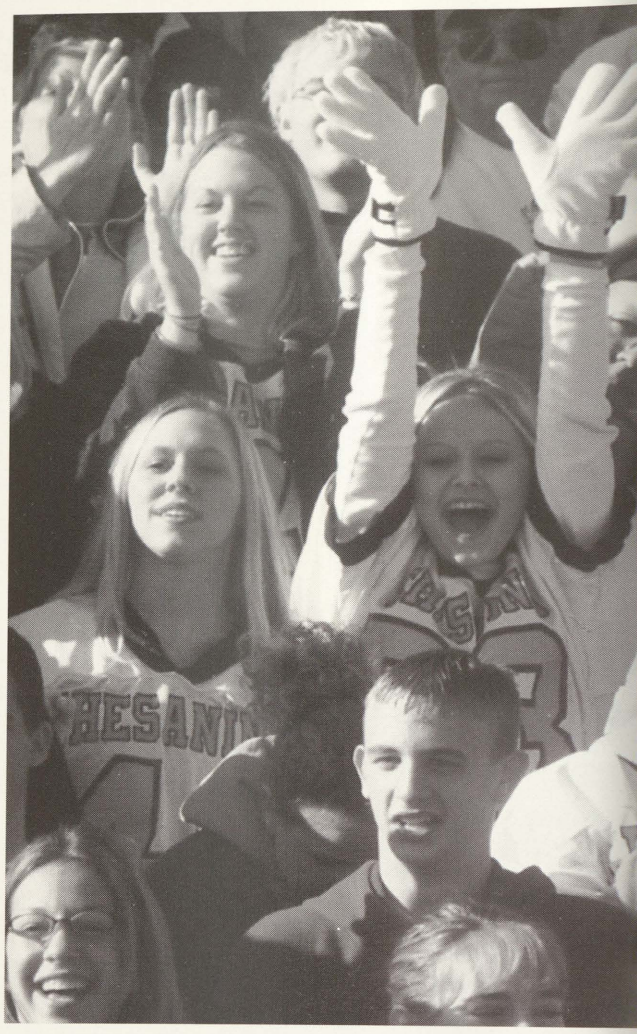
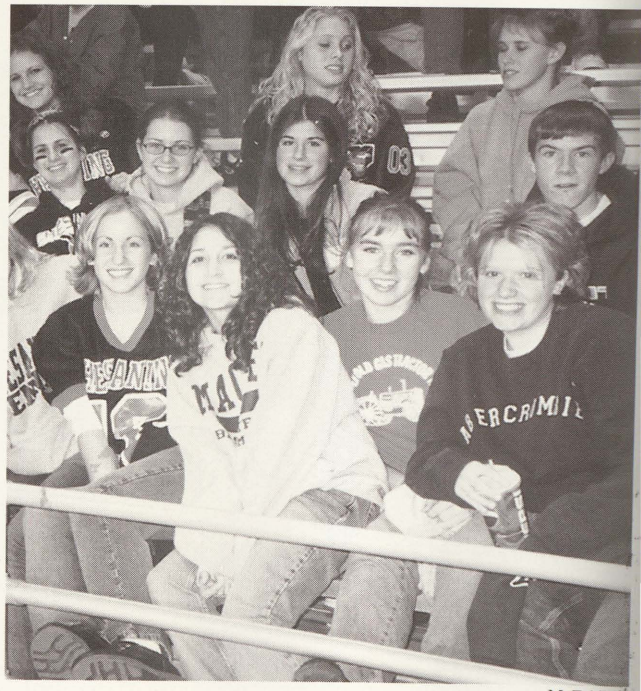
Making the Beat. Jeremy Hoover, Courtney Reinhardt, Laura Kensrud and Samantha Reetz create the beat that echoed throughout the gymnasium during a pep assembly held to support the football players.

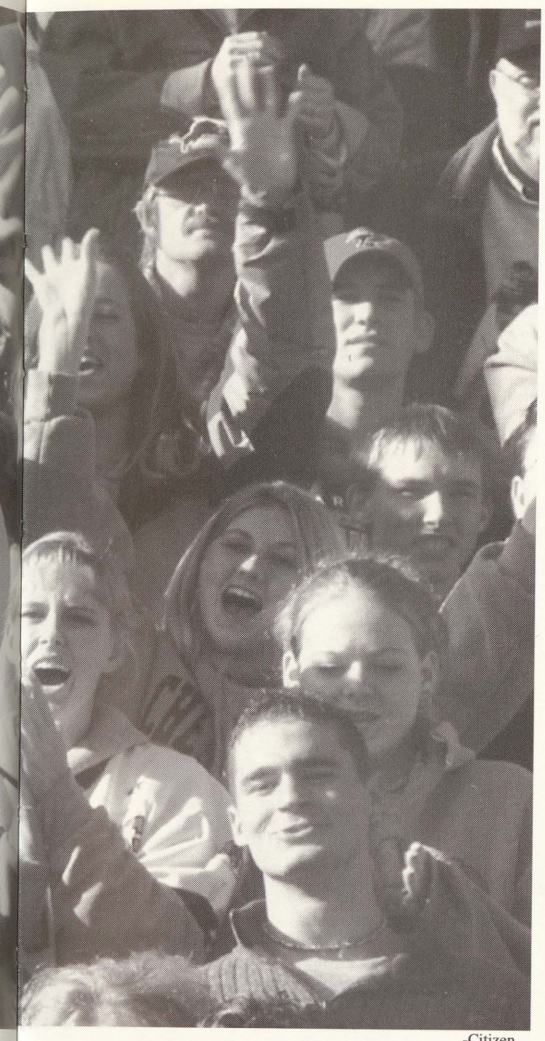




-M. Zajdlik

What a Crowd! A group of sophomore fans huddle together at the game that was held in Marquette. Even though the game was eight hours away, there was still a big crowd that came to support their fellow Indians.

Ray Mitchell



-Citizen

Football Fanatics. A group of fans cheer for the Indians at the game against Dewitt. Many people came to support the team on its long, victorious journey.

Billboard Baby. After the football team officially became the Division 4 State football champions of 2001, a billboard was put up on M-52 to honor the team. The town was very excited for their state champions.

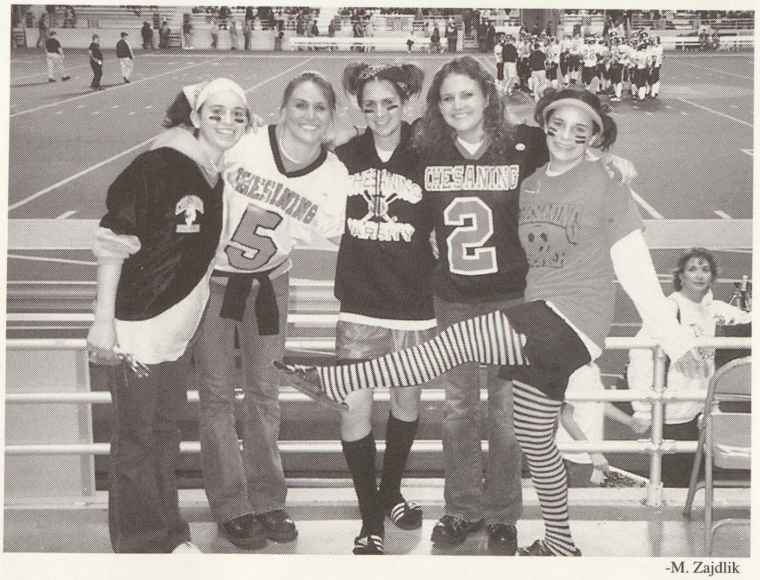
-T. Coole

Lunch Crunch. Mrs. Dewey and Mrs. Strait help take money for the lunchtime tailgate. "I thought the tailgate was a real success. There were probably a couple hundred kids that ate the lunch that day," said Mrs. Dewey. "The students seemed to like it. The food was really good, and there was a lot of it for everyone."

-J. Stewart

Hannah Scanlon

-J. Shaw



-M. Zajdlik

Sign Me Up. Many "Good luck" signs that were made by the cheerleaders were spread out down the hallway. "Each cheerleader was assigned to 3 football players, so we stayed after school for a few hours before practice to make them for the Dome," said Cara Gross. The signs were placed around the dome wall while Chesaning was on the field.

Statewide Spirit. Jodie Lary, Jori Pacek, Jessica Zajdlik, Amanda Wirgau and Trisha Brian dress up in spirit for the football game at the Superior Dome. "We all would go to Amanda's house before the game, make posters for the guys, then we'd go out to eat. Most of the outfits we wore came from the Dollar Store and things in our closets," said Jori.

FACE TO FACE

THE VALUE OF PEOPLE

Cost of Christmas gifts for friends...$25.00

Cost of a cell phone...$100.00

Cost of senior pictures...$600.00

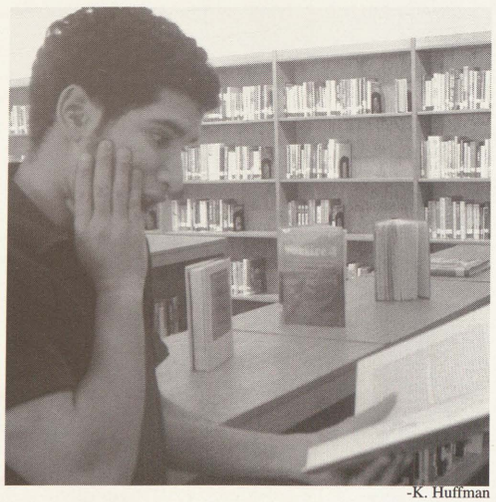
No amount of money can buy the happiness that is brought to us through the friendships we form during high school. The primary purpose of education may not be to form lasting relationships with our peers, but somehow those relationships seem far more important to us than the knowledge we gain in our classes. We are people who need people...and we'll never forget the fun we had with our friends.

The value of the pictures that preserve our high school experience...Priceless.

Brandon Clark

-K. Huffman

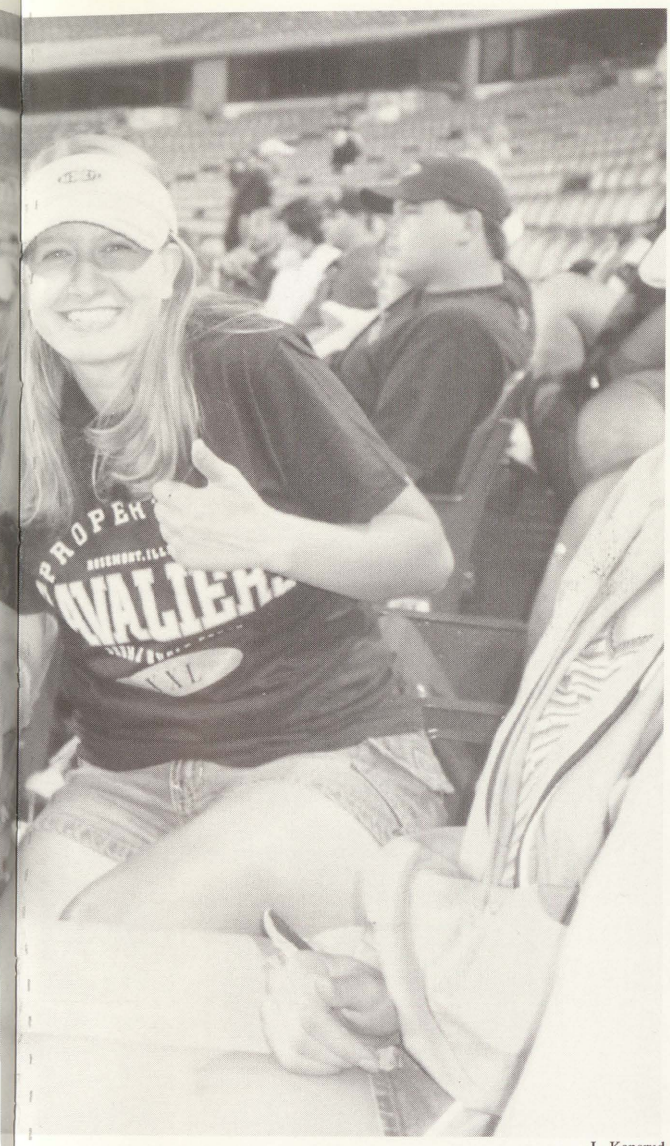
Best Buds. Amanda Clark, Ashley Weisenberger and Brady Ruhl take a break from class. "The best part about Info. Tech. is taking a break with my friends," said Brady.



-K. Huffman

Amazing! David Emmendorfer is amazed as he reads a thrilling book from the library. "The books in the library are so interesting; I can't get enough of them," said David.

Hungry man. Nick Guymer grills steak and hot dogs for his third block class on the last day of school before winter break. "I decided to cook out so I could get a head-start on break," said Nick.



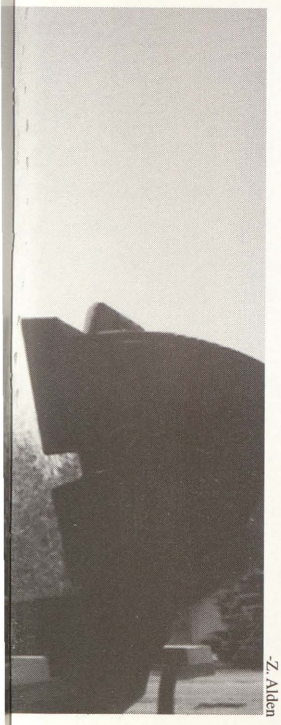
-L. Kensrud

An enthusiastic thumb up. Laura Kensrud supports CHS graduate Tim Newman by going to Buffalo, New York to watch the Drum Corps International competition to watch him perform. "While I was there, I saw my old percussion teachers, who are French-Canadian, and it is their custom to kiss people they haven't seen in a while. When they saw me, my mom and sister, they started kissing our cheeks. It was really weird!" said Laura.

News girls. Kristen Huffman and Melissa Londry put together The Tribal Times newspaper. "I enjoy journalism because I get to voice my opinion. It is a lot of fun to write stories and find out all the hot gossip at school. So buy Tribal Times!" said Melissa.

-J. Shaw

Lisa Dangel

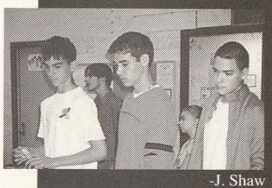


-Z. Alden

PERSONAL VALUES

ADAM BROWN

"Most of all, I value my friends and family, especially after what happened on September 11. I am very thankful for them and all of the memories and fun times I have had with them," said Adam Brown regarding what he values in life.



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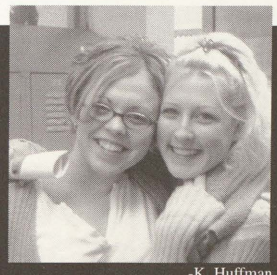

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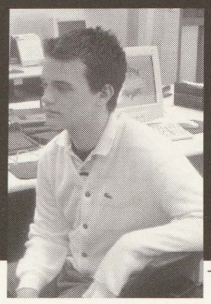

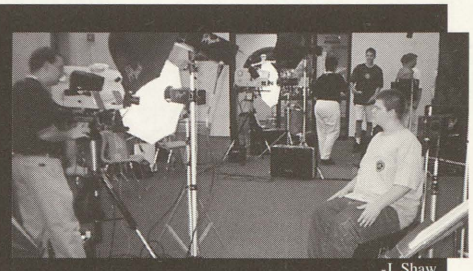

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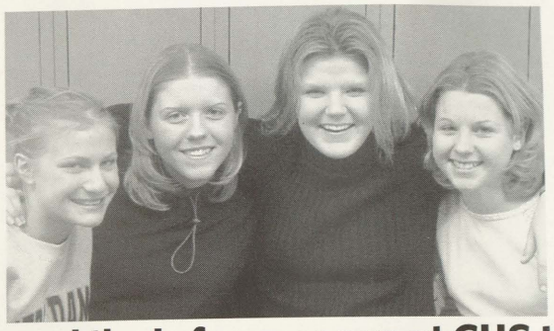
Save the Last Dance. Senio enjoyed thier 1 Homecoming Dance at CHS "We drove Corvettes to th dance, and I sa Chelsey Giesk eat the largest plate of food a Applebees," Ja Croucher recal "It was kind of to think that it our last Homecoming Dance, but I'll happy to graduate," said Cassie Reiber.



Senior Class Officers. *Vice President:* Melanie Vrabl *Treasurer:* Jill Meyer; *Presid* Julie Esmer; a *Secretary:* Jes Bates.

Senior Advisory Board: *Front:* Tricia Coole, Julie Esmer, Melanie Vrable, Jill Meyer, Jessica Bates. *Row 2:* Cassie Reiber, Michelle Agnew, Annie Weisenberger, Cara Wendling. *Row 3:* Laura Kensrud, Michelle Zajdlik, Erica Shuster, Melissa Londry, Amber Odenbaugh. *Row 4:* Anita Holden, Nicole Turnwald, Holly Garno, Jessica Platt, Karolyn Hemker. *Row 5:* Natalie George, Brynn Call, Kimmy Newton, Marc Rehmann, Anndee Gross, Kristi Freshour, Mary Hughes. *Back:* Kylee Kunik and Mary Schneider.

Cara Gross

Class Colors
Burgundy and Silver

Class Flower
Stargazer Lily

Class Song
"Faith of the Heart"
-- Rod Stewart

Class Motto
"It has to happen somewhere,
It has to happen sometime,
What better place than here?
What better time than now?"
-- Rage Against the Machine

Class Advisors
Wanda Kensrud & Charlotte Hughes

The Class of 2002 used their four years at CHS to make

A Lifetime of Memories

Our high school experience started with a welcoming tunnel made by the Class of 1999. Our legacy began with a frenzy of activity we now know as Homecoming Week. We were thrown into the craziness and actually ended up with third place for our Springtime Float. This made us ready for Homecoming the next year. We started sophomore year off right by winning homecoming week. Our junior year took us to second place, while we reclaimed first during our senior year.

While these might be things we forget when looking back on high school, there are so many things that won't be forgotten.

We won't ever forget our Homecoming pep assembly in which several agile football playe challenged the cheerleaders; or M Ferry's game-winning touchdown States this year; or always winni eating contests, as long as Cara a Jori were on our team. We'll lau when thinking about Brent Conk killing a bat in the 400 hall with tennis racket. We will recall the f we had at Dustin Gross's house t last day of junior year and o endless efforts to sneak past the go lady at seminar and lunchtime.

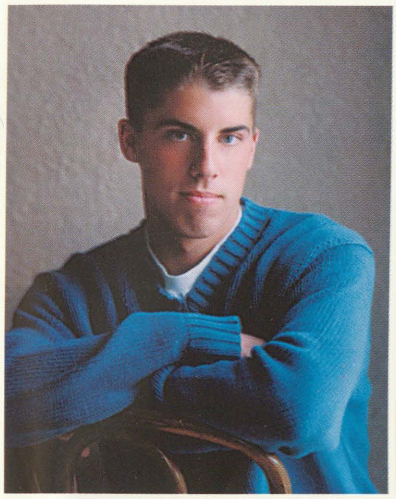
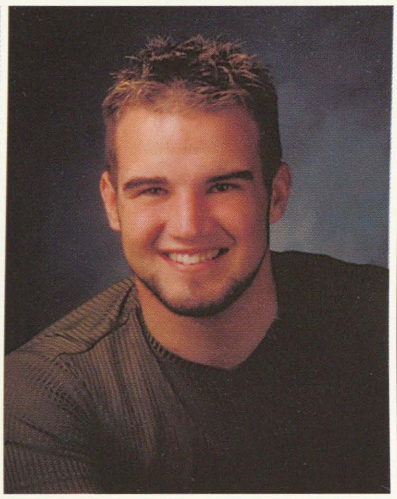
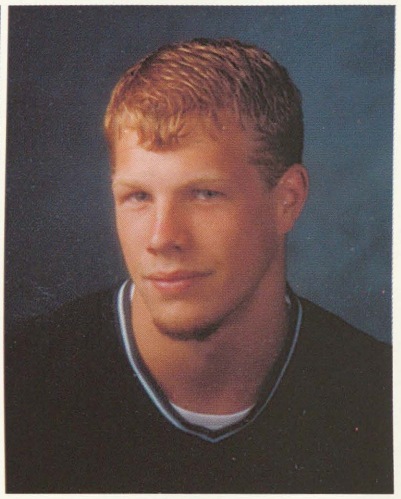
Most of these moments make smile, some make us laugh a some might make us cry. All w know is that when we walk throu the tunnel of the Class of 2003, w will walk out of CHS with a lifetime memories.

-J.Esmer

Courtney Adams
Choir 9, 10 • Mentor 12 • Cosmetology 11, 12

Michelle Agnew
Tennis 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Volleyball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Art Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12 (vice-president) • WWOW 12 • Soccer 11, 12*

Miranda Aguilar
SADD 10 • Mentor 11, 12

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Christopher Anderson
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Christopher Barancik
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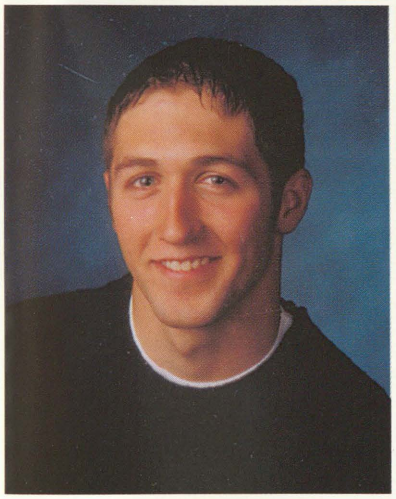
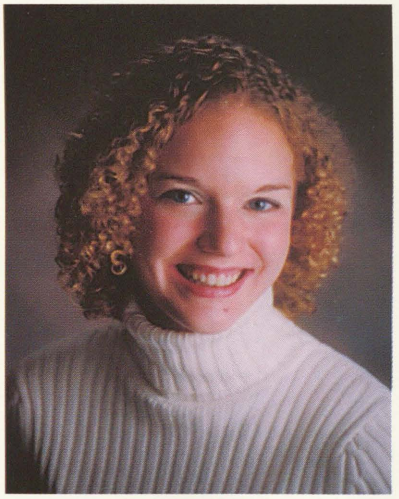
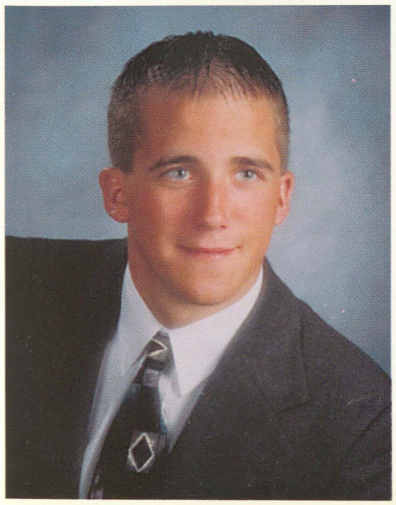
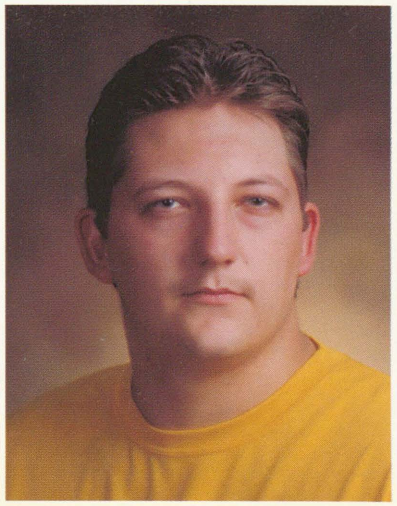
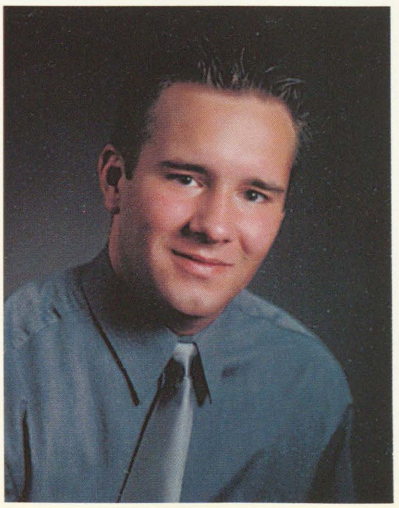




Brent Bassham
Football 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Track 11 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12

Jessica Bates
Softball 9, 10 • Color Guard 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Winter Guard 9, 11 • Perfect Attendance 10 • NHS 11, 12 • Key Club 9 - 12 • Spirit Activities 9 - 12 • Class Rep. 12 • Mentor 10, 11, 12 • Class Officer (sec.) 9 - 12 • High Honors • Homecoming Court

Angela Birchmeier
Winter Drumline 10 (guard)• Color Guard 11, 12 • Winter Guard 11, 12 • Knowledge Bowl 10 - 12 • Forensics 9, 12 • Key Club 10, 11, 12 (vice-pres.) • International Club 9, 10, 11 (vice-pres.), 12(pres.) • SADD 10, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 10 • Hartley Counslor 11, 12 • Student Council 9 • School Improvement 11 • Operation Bentley 11 • Honors

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Basketball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Baseball 10, 12*• Golf 10*, 11*, 12*• Football 9 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Yearbook 12 • Student Support Group 10, 11, 12 • Boys' State 12 • Honors

Richard Birchmeier
C.A.P.A. 12

Paul Bissonette
Football 9 • Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.O.C. 12

Christopher Breiler
Basketball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Football 9, 10

Karen Bridgewater
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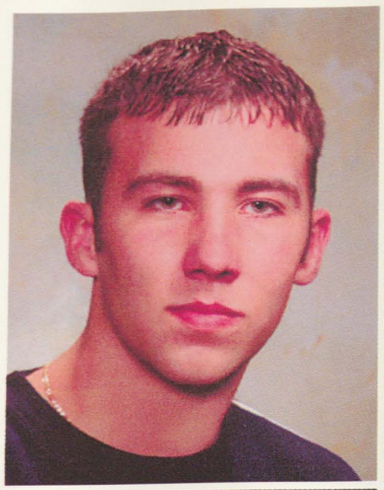
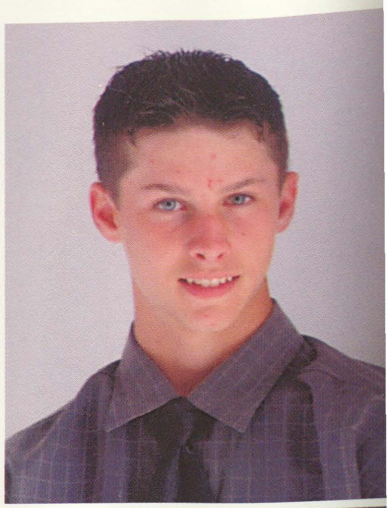
Adam Brown
Work Experience 11, 12 • Auto Club 12

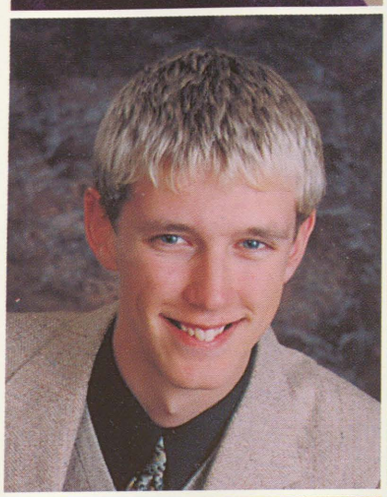


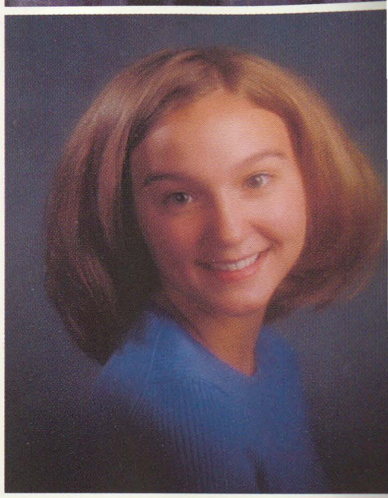


Matthew Brownell
Marching Band 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Jazz Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 10, 11, 12

Nicole Bucsi
Sideline Cheer 9 • International Club 9, 10 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 11 • Class Officer (President) 9 • Journalism 11, 12 • WWOW 11 • Auto Club 12

Brynn Call
NHS 11, 12 • Forensics 10*, 11*, 12*• Key Club 9, 10, 11 • Art Club 10 • C.A.P.A. 9, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Class Representative 10 • WCHS 11 • Yearbook 12 • Rotary 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12 • Journalism 11 • WWOW 11 • Peer Mediation 11, 12 • Highest Honors • Homecoming Court





Adam Schneider

Nicole Call
Work Experience 11, 12

Andrew Chernow
Football 9, 10 • Wrestling 9 • Spirit Activities 9, 10 • Choir 11 • C.O.C. 11, 12 • Auto Club 10

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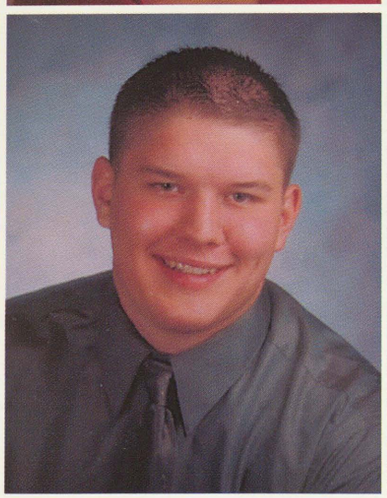
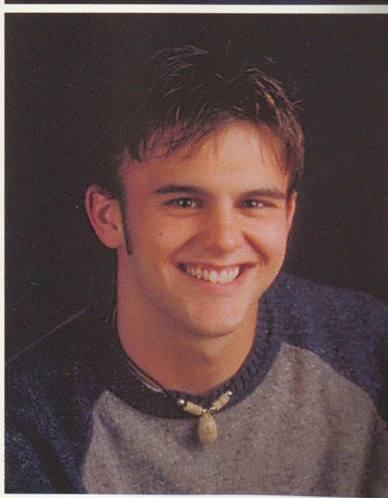
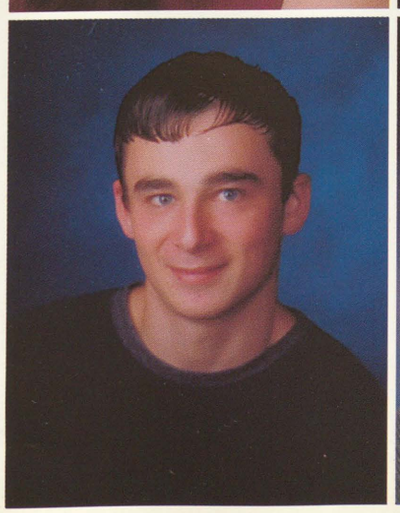


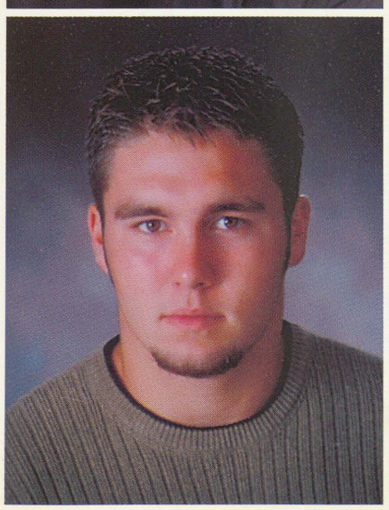


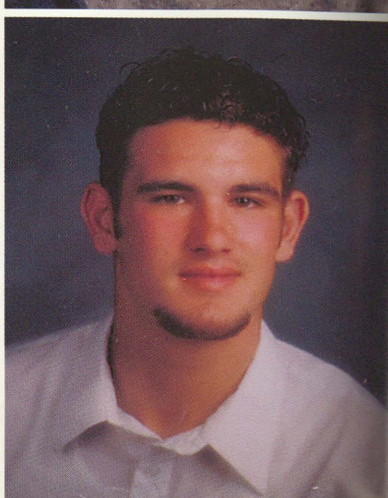
Royal Chrysler
Work Experience 11, 12

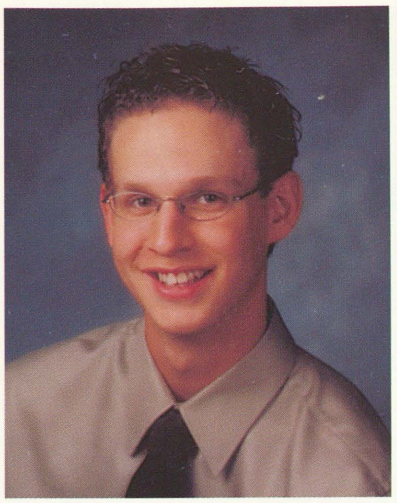
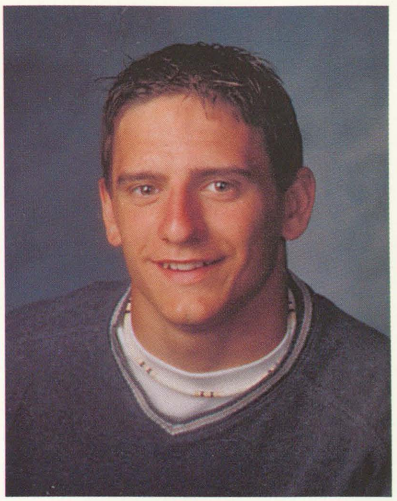
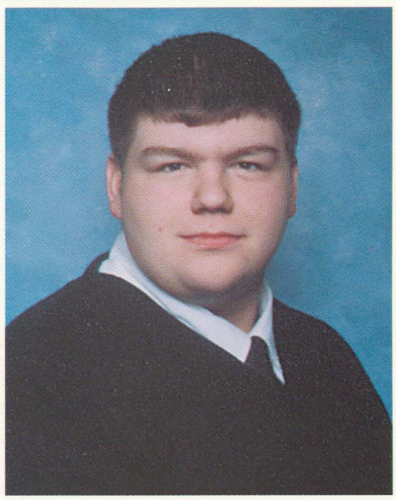
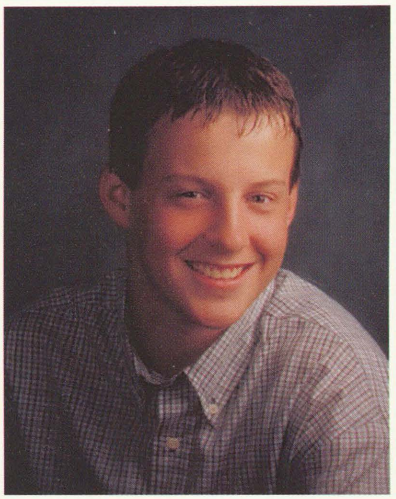
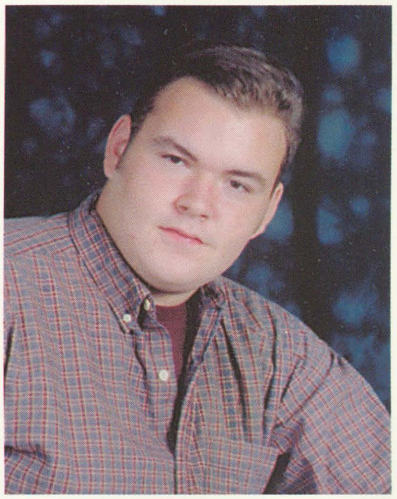
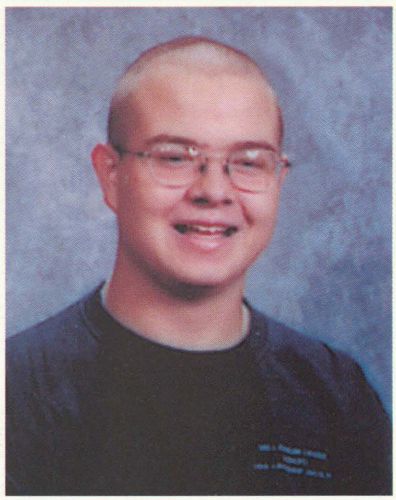
Brent Conklin
Basketball 9, 10 • Football 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Track 10, 11*, 12*• Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Homecoming Court

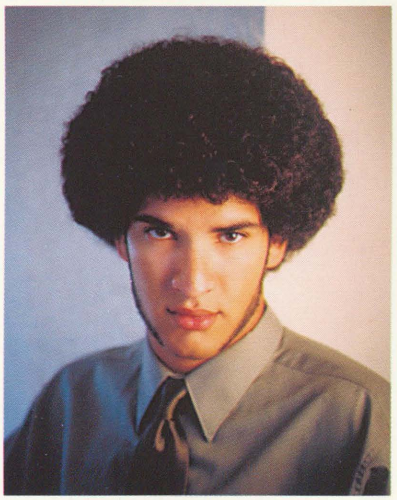
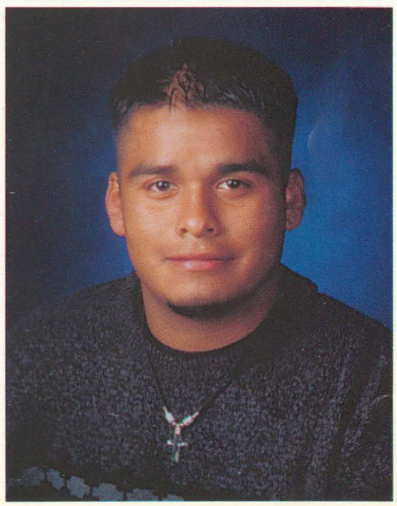
Randy Coole
Football 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Track 9, 10, 11, 12*• Wrestling 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Winter Drumline 10, 11, 12 • Color Guard 11, 12*• Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 9, 10, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12







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Sideline Cheer 11*, 12*• Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 11 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 11, 12 • Student Support Group 10 • Advisory Board 12 • Journalism 11, 12 • WWOW 11, 12 • Advanced Media 12

Ryan Cramer
Marching Band 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Jazz Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12 • NHS 11, 12 • Knowledge Bowl 10, 11, 12 • Art Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Rotary 11 • Highest Honors

Jason Croucher
Football 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Track 10*• Perfect Attendance 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Homecoming Court 12 • Mentor 12

Shaun Czeiszperger
F.F.A. 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 10 • Work Experience 12 • Auto Club 12

Richard Delong
Basketball 9 • Tennis 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Perfect Attendance 11 • Art Club 9 • F.F.A. 12 • WCHS 12 • WWOW 12 • Soccer 11, 12*• Science Olympiad 10, 11 • Science Honor Society 10, 11 • Homecoming Court

Nicholas Dudek
Marching Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Jazz Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Winter Drumline 11 • Honors

Christopher Egbert
Volunteer Work 10, 11

Alyssa Emmendorfer
Key Club 9, 10, 11 • C.A.P.A. 12 • International Club 11 (Treasurer), 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 11

David Emmendorfer
Golf 10 • Wrestling 12 • Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11 • WCHS 12 • Soccer 11, 12 • Science Honor Society 11

Juanito Escamilla
Baseball 10 • Football 9, 10, 11, 12*• Perfect Attendance 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Student Support Group 10

Julie Esmer
Tennis 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• NHS 11, 12 • Forensics 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Key Club 9 • Art Club 9, 10 • C.A.P.A. 9, 10 • F.F.A. 9 • International Club 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Yearbook 12 • Mentor 12 • Rotary 12 • Advisory Board 9, 10, 11, 12 • Class Officer (President) 12 • School Improvement 9, 10 • Journalism 11, 12 • Highest Honors

Kristi Freshour
Key Club 9, 10, 11 • C.A.P.A. 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Advisory Board 12 • Student Assistant 11, 12 • Honors

Holly Garno
Softball 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Marching Band 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• NHS 11, 12 • Forensics 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• C.A.P.A. 10, 11*, 12*• International Club 12 • Spirit Activities 9 -12 • Advisory Board 12 •High Honors

Natalie George
Comp. Cheer 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Sideline Cheer 9, 10*, 12*• Art Club 9 • C.A.P.A. 9, 10 • Spirit Activities 9 - 12 • WCHS 11 • Hartley Counselor 12 • Mentor 11, 12 • Exchange Student 11 • Adv. Board 11, 12 • Student Council 9, 10 • School Improvement 9, 10 • Work Exp. 9 - 12 • WWOW 11 • High Honors

Hope Gezelman
Marching Band 9, 10, 11*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12

Ashlee Giesken
Competitive Cheer 9*, 10*• Sideline Cheer 9*, 10*• Perfect Attendance 10 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Hartley Counselor 12 • Student Council 10, 11, 12 (Secretary) • Honors

Chelsey Giesken
Basketball 9, 10 • Softball 11*, 12*• Sideline Cheer 12* • Track 9 • Volleyball 10 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Student Support Group 11, 12

Christopher Goward
Wrestling 11, 12 • Marching Band 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Auto Club 12

Ashley Graham
Softball 9, 10 • Choir 9, 11 • Cosmetology 12

Anndee Gross
Basketball 9 • Track 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Art Club 11, 12 • International Club 10, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • WWOW 12

Brandi Gross
Competitive Cheer 9*, 10*• Sideline Cheer 9*, 10*• Perfect Attendance 9 • Mentor 12

Cara Gross
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Dustin Gross
Basketball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Golf 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• F. F. A. 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 12 • Work Experience 12 • WWOW 12 • Advanced Media 12

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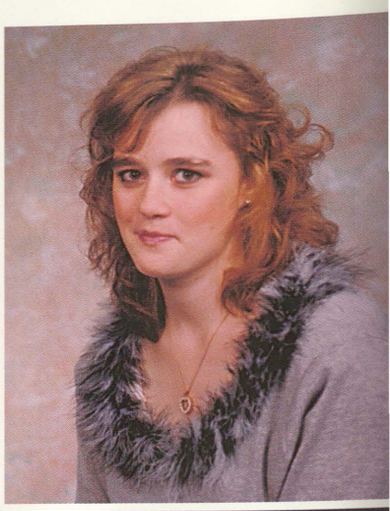
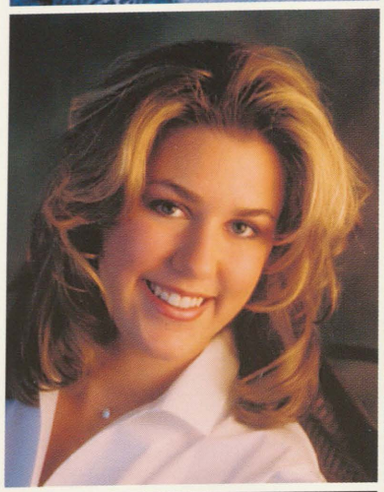

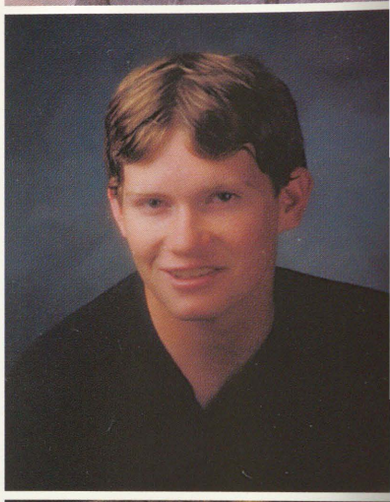

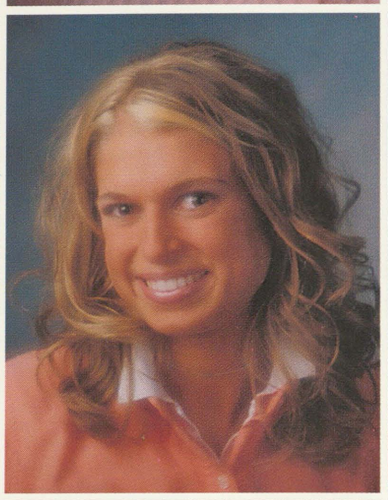

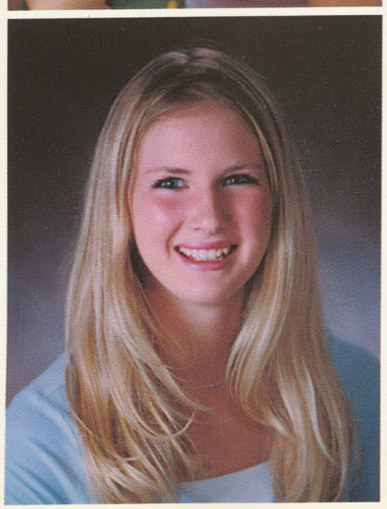
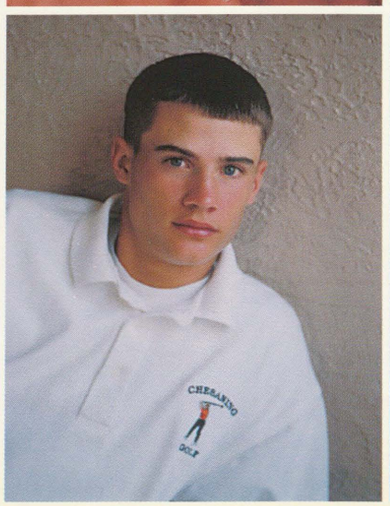
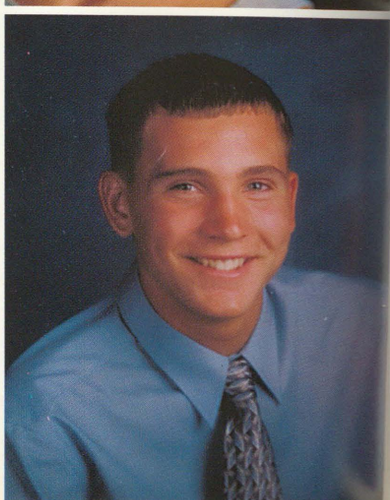

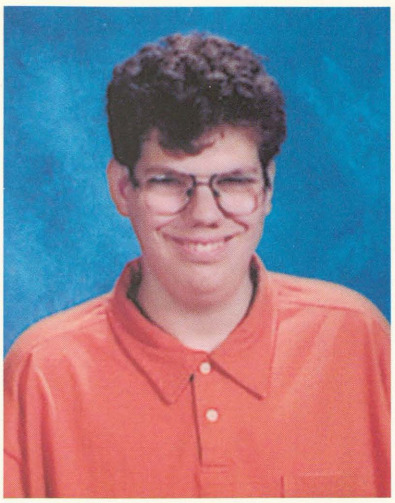
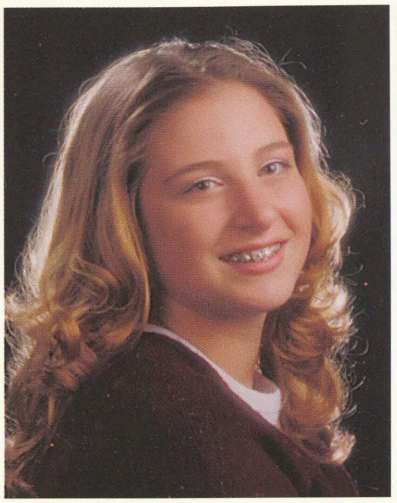

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Key Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • Art Club 9, 11 • SADD 10 • Student Support Group 9, 10, 11, 12 • Student Council 9

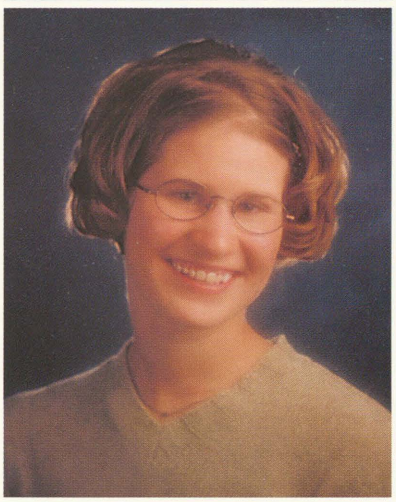
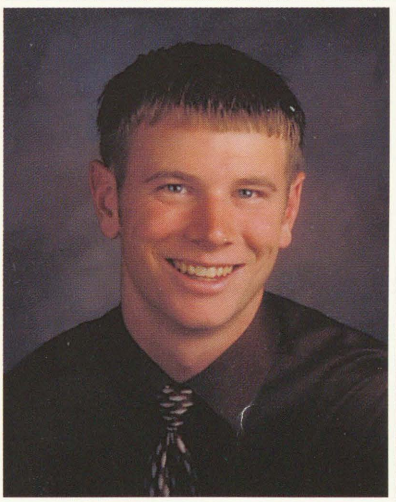
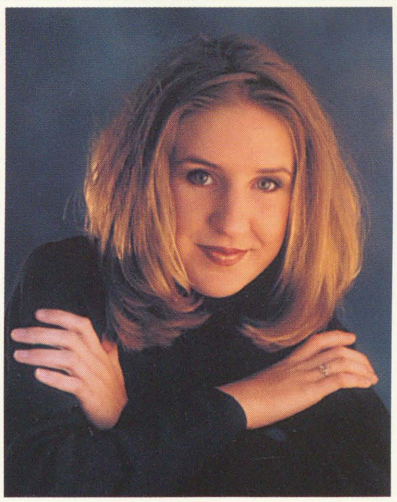
Melissa Hemgesberg
Softball 9, 10, 11, 12 • Key Club 9, 10 • Art Club 9 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 12 • Hartley Counselor 12 • Mentor 12

Shauna Hemgesberg
Basketball 10 • Volleyball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• F.F.A. 11 • WCHS 11, 12 • Student Support Group 10, 11, 12 • WWOW 11• High Honors

Karolyn Hemker
Softball 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Tennis 10*, 11*, 12*• Volleyball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Perfect Attendance 11 • NHS 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • Auto Club 12 • High Honors

Renee Hernandez
Key Club 9, 10, 11 • Art Club 10 • SADD 9 • Mentor 11, 12 • Cosmetology 11, 12

Anita Holden
NHS 11, 12 • Knowledge Bowl 10, 11, 12*• Key Club 10, 11, 12 • Art Club 10, 11, 12 • International Club 10 • SADD 10, 11, 12 (Secretary) • Hartley Counselor 11, 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • Highest Honors

Carrie Hudecek
Track 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Cross Country 9*, 10*, 12*• Marching Band 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • NHS 11, 12 • Key Club 11 • Journalism 12 • Highest Honors

Gregory Hudecek
Track 12*• F.F.A. 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.O.C. 12 • Auto Club 12

Kristen Huffman
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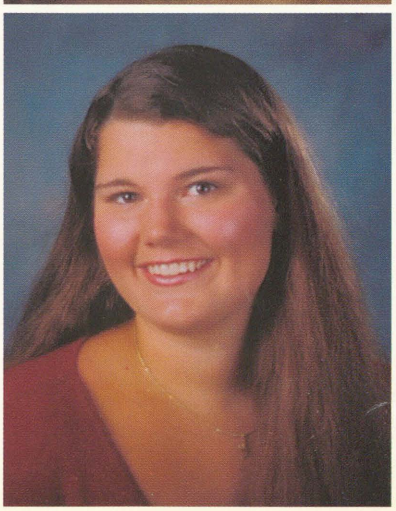
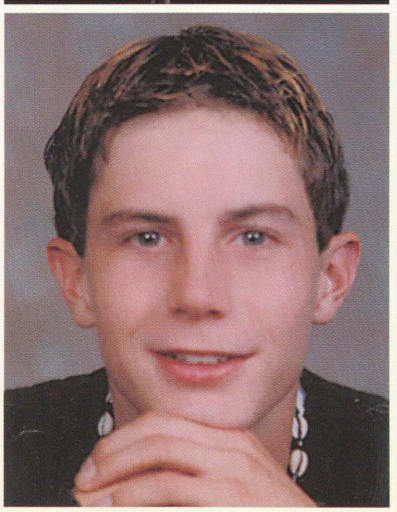
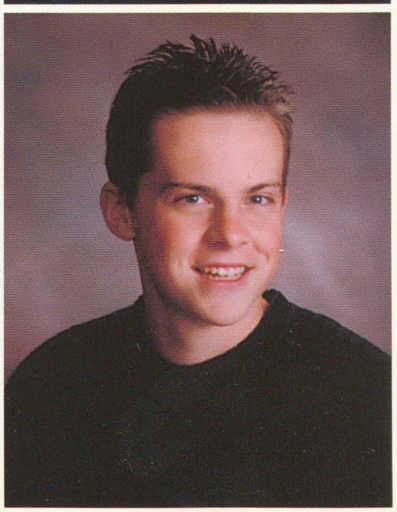

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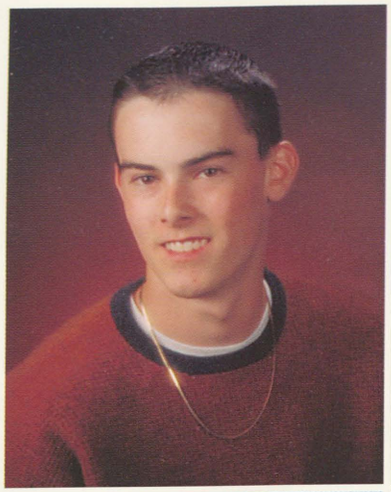
Bradley Illikman
Basketball 9, 10 • C.O.C. 12

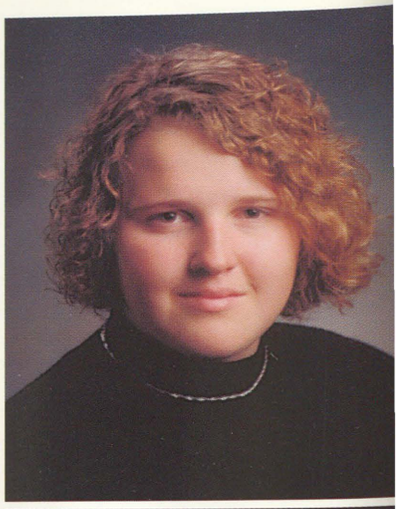
Michael Johnson
Mentor 12

Adam Joyce
Basketball 9 • Baseball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• F.F.A. 12 • Spirit Activities 10, 11, 12

April Kadlec
Softball 10 • Competitive Cheer 9*, 10*, 11*• Sideline Cheer 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Art Club 10 • Peer Mediation 9, 10, 11, 12 • International Club 10 • Spirit Activities 11, 12 • Mentor 9, 10, 11 • Advisory Board 9, 10, 11

Jennifer Kelbey
Track 12*• Work Experience 12





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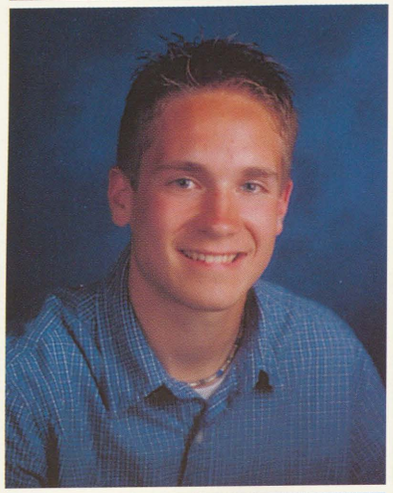
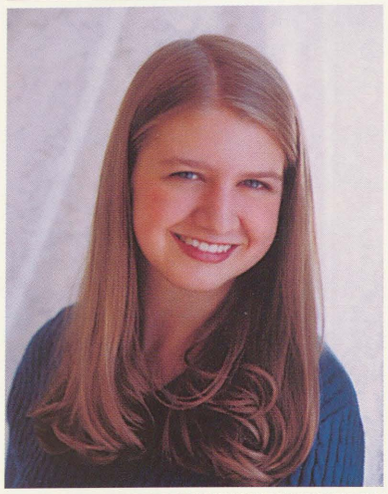
Laura Kensrud
Marching Band 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Jazz Band 11, 12 • Winter Drumline 9, 10, 11 • NHS 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 10, 11, 12 • International Club 10, 11 • Choir 10 • Rotary 12 • Advisory Board 12• Highest Honors





Jeff Poag

April Kettle
Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11 • Key Club 9, 10 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Advisory Board 11

Carissa Kukulis
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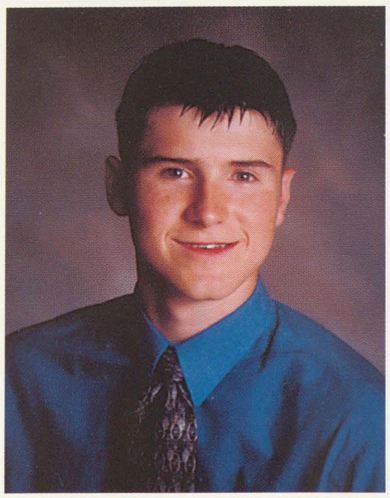
Matthew Kulhanek
Basketball 10, 11*, 12*

Kylee Kunik
Basketball 9, 10 • Softball 9 • Track 10*• Volleyball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• NHS 11, 12 • F.F.A. 9, 10, 11 (Reporter), 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Class Representative 11, 12 (Homecoming Queen) • WCHS 12 • Yearbook 12 • Mentor 11, 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • WWOW 12 • Soccer 12• High Honors



Cristy Lamrouex
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James Leggett
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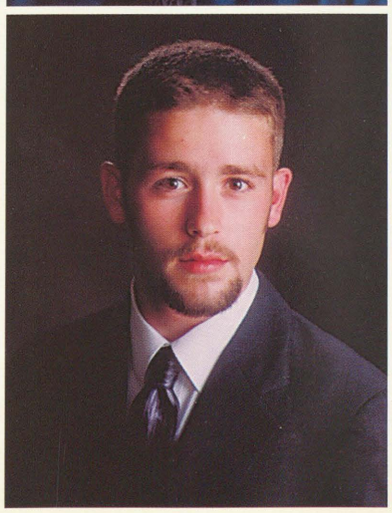
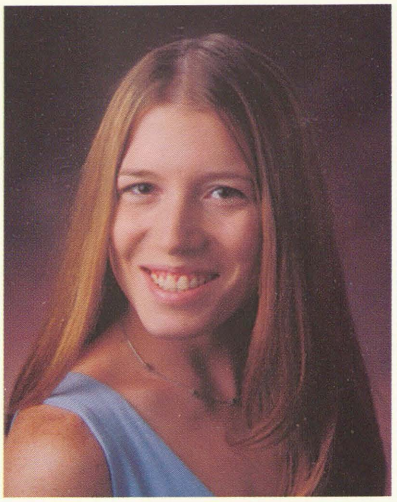
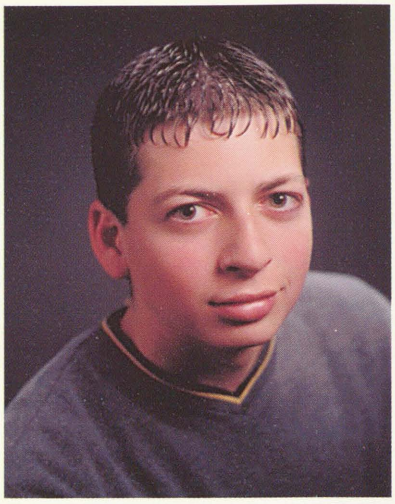
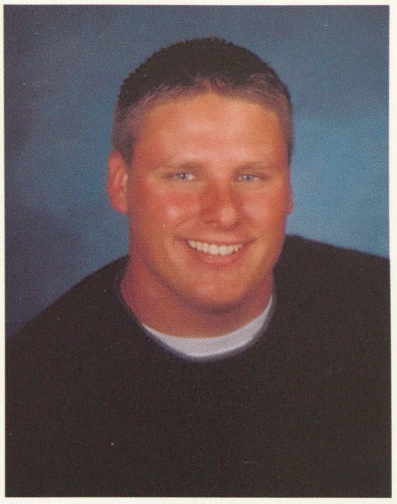
Christie Lehman
Marching Band 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Key Club 11





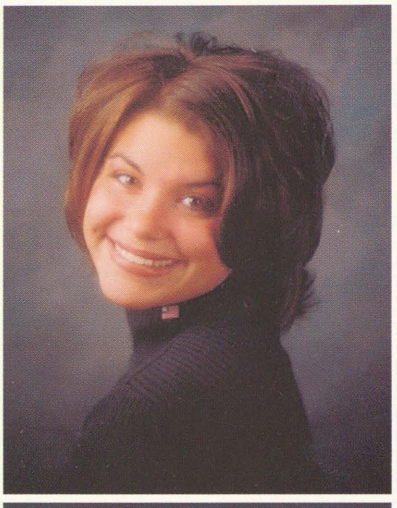


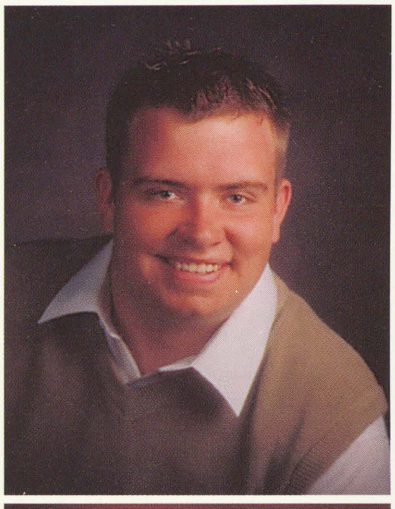


Melissa Londry
Basketball 9, 10, 11*• NHS 12 • Volleyball 9, 10 • Student Support Group • Class Officer 10 (Treasurer) • Journalism 12 • Soccer 11, 12* • High Honors

Brent Lorencz
F.F.A. 10, 11, 12 • C.O.C. 12 • Work Experience 12 • Auto Club 10, 11, 12 • Student Aid 11, 12

Justin Maxa
Football 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Track 9, 10 • Wrestling 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Spirit Activities 9, 10 ,11, 12 • Class Representative 9, 12 (Homecoming King) • WCHS 11, 12 • WWOW 11 • Rotary 12 • Powder Puff Coach 12

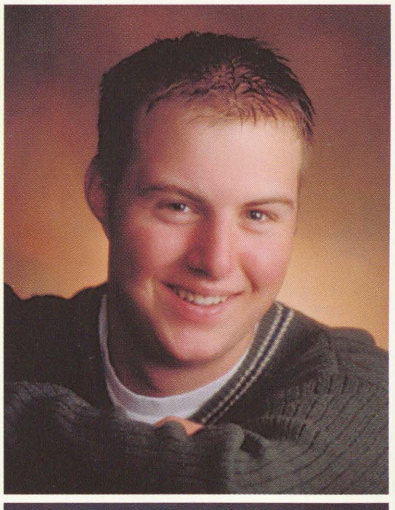




Hannah McDougall
Colorguard 9, 10, 11, 12 • Winterguard 10, 11, 12 • Drumline 9 • Soccer 11, 12 • Student Support Group 11, 12 • Sideline Cheer 9, 11, 12

Matt McKay
Art Club 9 • Chess Club 9, 10 • F.F.A. 9, 10, 11, 12 (Tractor Day Winner 10, 11) • Spirit Activities 10, 11 • Rotary 11 • C.O.C. 12 • Science Olympiad 12 • Powder Puff Coach 9, 10, 11 • Auto Club 9, 10, 11

Jill Meyer
Tennis 9, 10*• Perfect Attendance 11 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Yearbook 11, 12 • Rotary 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • Class Officer (Treasurer) 11, 12 • Journalism 10, 11, 12 • Mentor 12 •Honors



Sara Moss

Brennan Neumeyer
Baseball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• F.F.A. 10, 11, 12 • Work Experience 11

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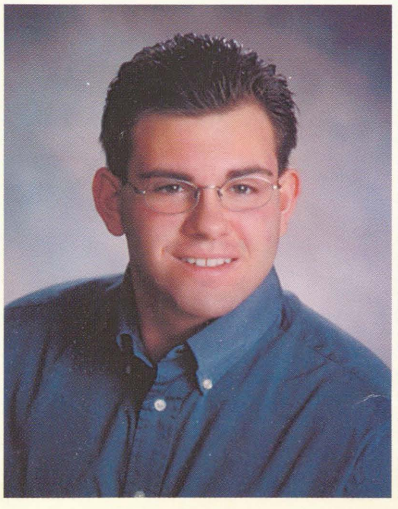

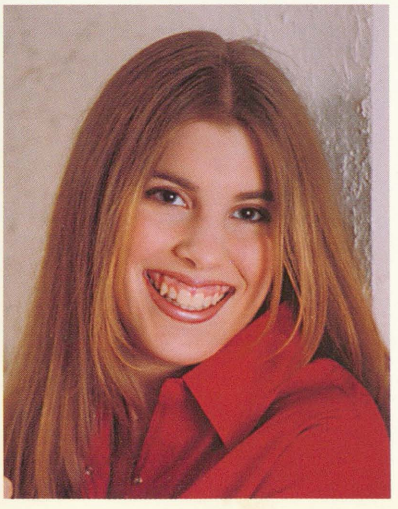

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Kala O'Dell
Basketball 9 • Perfect Attendance 10 • Art Club 11, 12 • F.F.A. 9, 10 •High Honors

Amber Odenbaugh
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Jori Pacek
Basketball 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Track 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Volleyball 9, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 12 • WWOW 12 • Advanced Media 12

Jeremy Phillips

Jessica Platt
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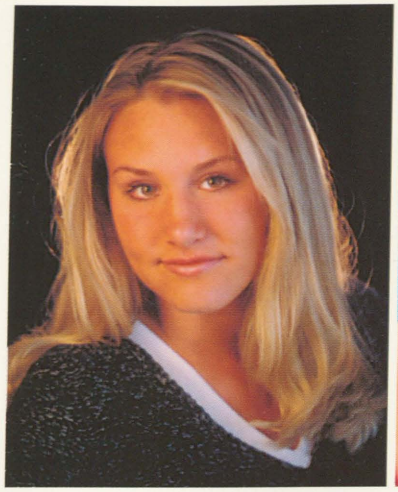
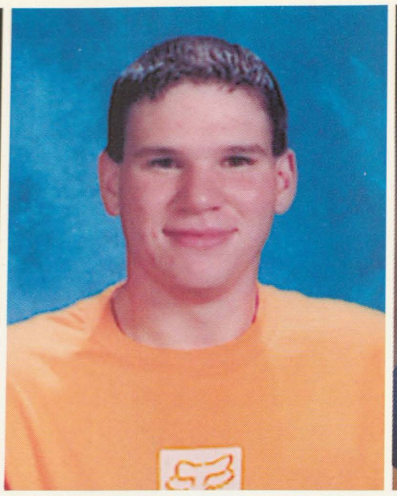
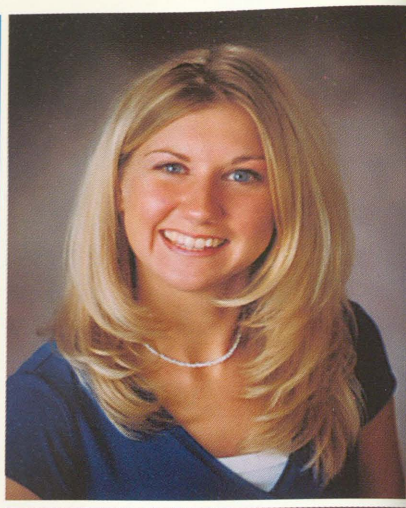


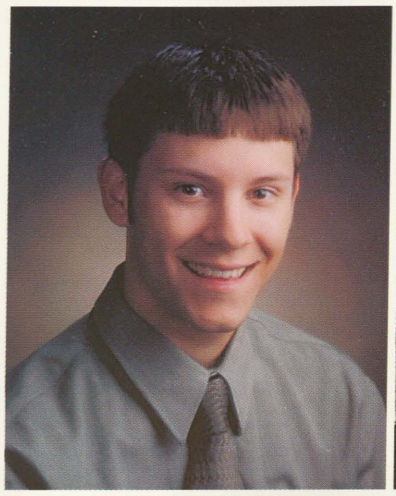




Richard Price
Baseball 9, 11*, 12* • Golf 9, 10 • National Honor Society 11, 12 • WCHS 11, 12 • Yearbook 10 • Rotary 12 • Student Council 10, 11, 12 • Boys' State 11 • Journalism 10, 11 • WWOW 11, 12 • Advanced Media 12 • Science Olympiad 10 • Science Honor Society 10 • Honors

Heather Prince
Honors

Crystal Prosser
Color Guard 9 • Cosmetology 11



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Mark Quaderer

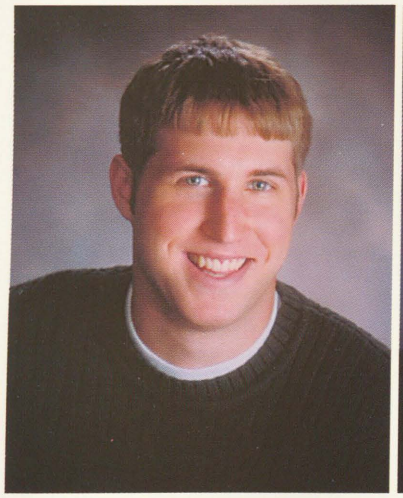
Gregory Reeves
Marching Band 9, 11, 12 • Concert Band 9 • Jazz Band 9 • Perfect Attendance 11, 12 • Science Olympiad 10, 11 • Science Honor Society 10, 11 •High Honors

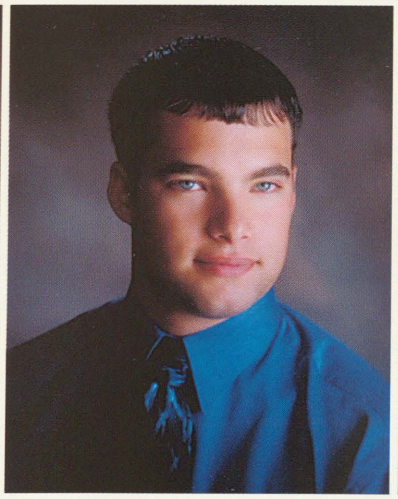
Marc Rehmann
Basketball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Football 9 • Perfect Attendance 9 • NHS 11, 12 • Forensics 9*• Spirit Activities 9, 10 , 11, 12 • WCHS 9 • Rotary 12 • Advisory Board 9, 10, 11, 12 • Class Officer (President) 10, 11 • Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12 • Boys' State 12 • Journalism 10, 11 • WWOW 9 • Science Honor Society 10 • MASC State Board 11, 12 • MYPAC Executive Board 12 • Honors

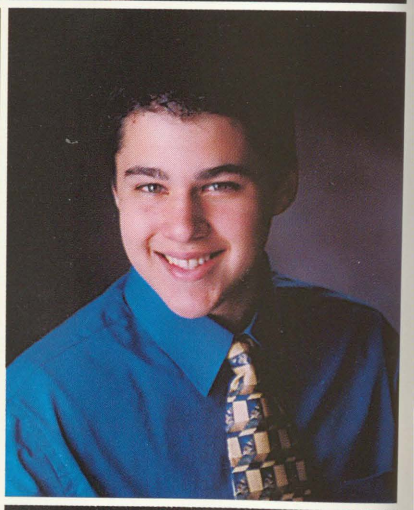
Brian Reiber
F.F.A. 11, 12 • Auto Club 12

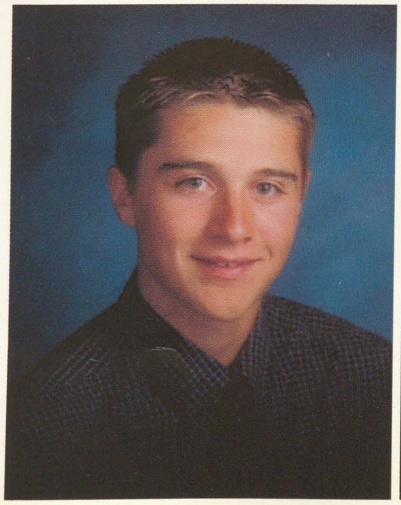
Cassie Reiber
Basketball 9, 10, 11*• Softball 9 • Track 10*, 11*, 12*• Volleyball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• NHS 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 11 • Yearbook 12 • Advisory Board 9, 10, 11, 12 • WWOW 11 • Highest Honors

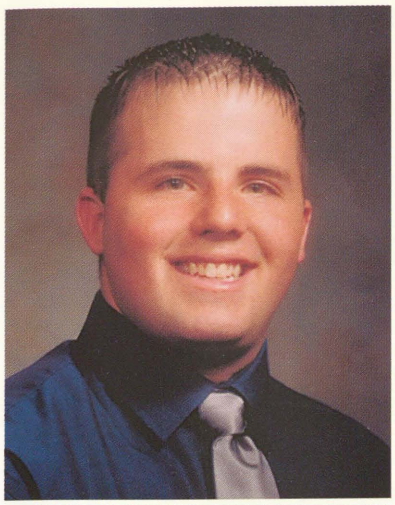
Trisha Richmond
Key Club 9, 10, 11 (Lt. Governor), 12 (Lt. Governor) • C.A.P.A. 11, 12*• F.F.A. 9 • SADD 9, 10 • Mentor 10, 11, 12 • Advisory Board 11 •

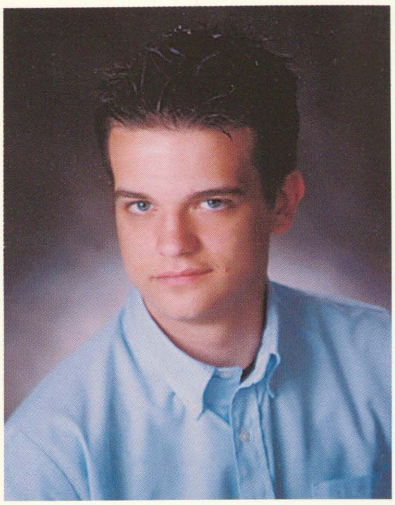


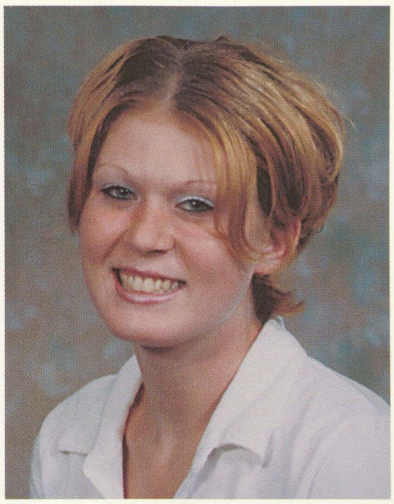












Jacob Righi
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Mark Roebuck
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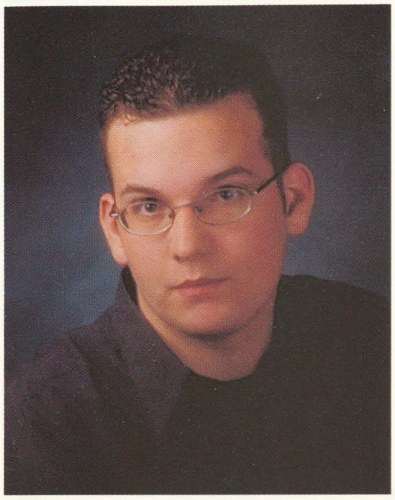
Anna Rolfe
F.F.A. 10 • Mentor 11, 12



Gary Ryckaert
National Honor Society 11, 12 • Knowledge Bowl 10, 11, 12 • Art Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • International Club 10, 11, 12 • Rotary 12 • Science Olympiad 9, 10 • Science Honor Society 9, 10 • Honors

Hannah Scanlon
Choir 9, 10, 11 • Student Support Group 9, 10, 12 • C.O.C. 11

Staci Schardt
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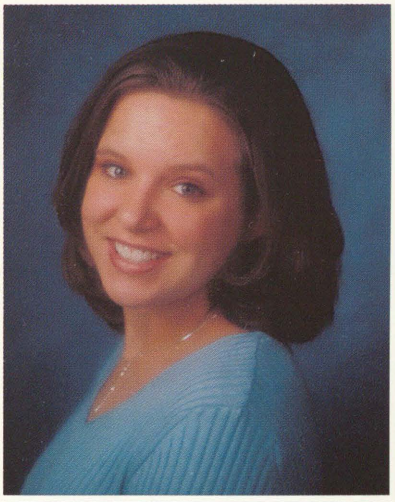

Scott Schlicht

Mary Schneider
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Wesley Seal
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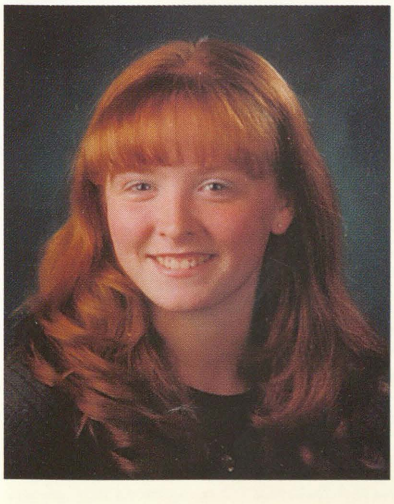


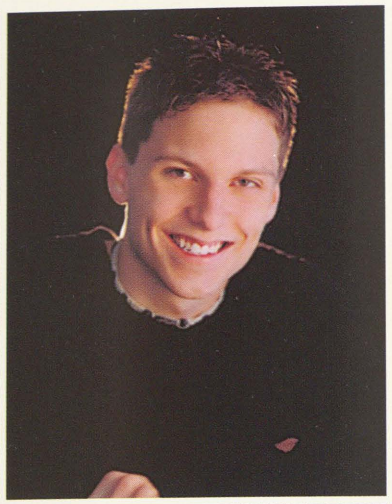
Kerissa Shindorf
Basketball 10 • Softball 10 • Perfect Attendance 9 • Key Club • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Work Experience 11, 12

Yoko Shoji
Basketball 12*• Volleyball 12*• Art Club 12 • International Club 12 • Exchange Student (Japan) • Rotary 12

Erica Shuster
Marching Band 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10 • Winter Drumline 9, 10 • National Honor Society 11, 12 • Key Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Mentor 9, 10, 11, 12 • Advisory Board 11, 12 • High Honors

Sara Solano
Choir 9, 10 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • F.F.A. 9 • International Club 9 • Sideline Cheer 9

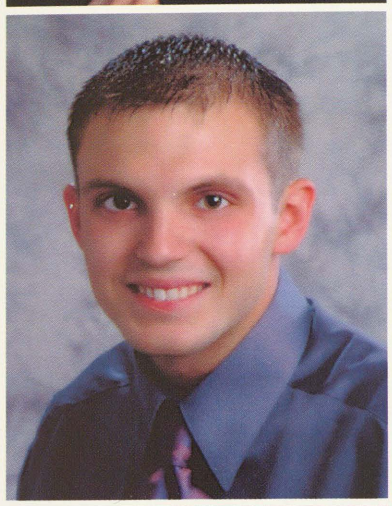
Chad Soukup
Marching Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Jazz Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Winter Drumline 11 • Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12 • NHS 11, 12 • Art Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 12 • Rotary 11 • Highest Honors



Jeannie Stam
Winter Guard 11, 12 • Key Club 9 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12

Elyse Stickel
Knowledge Bowl 11, 12*• Key Club 9, 10, 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 10, 11, 12*• International Club 9 • S.A.D.D. 9, 10, 12 • WCHS 12 • Choir 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Mentor 12 • Advanced Media 12

Joseph Stroup
Art Club 9, 11 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12



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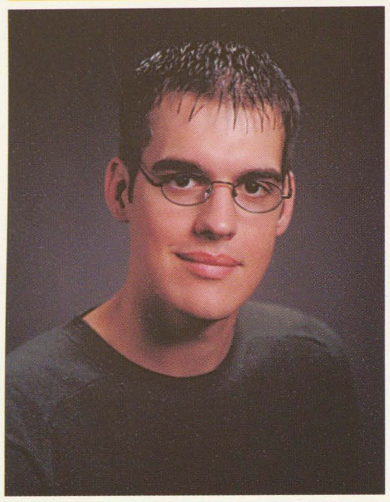

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Rebecca Thiel
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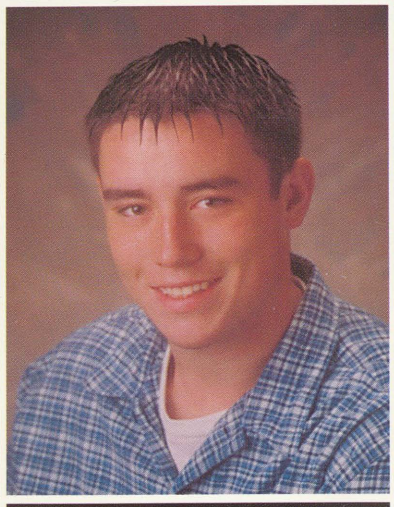
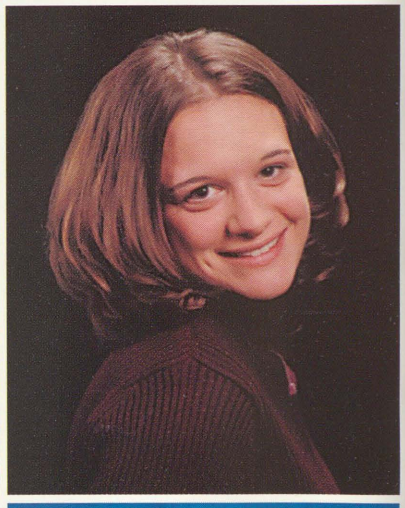
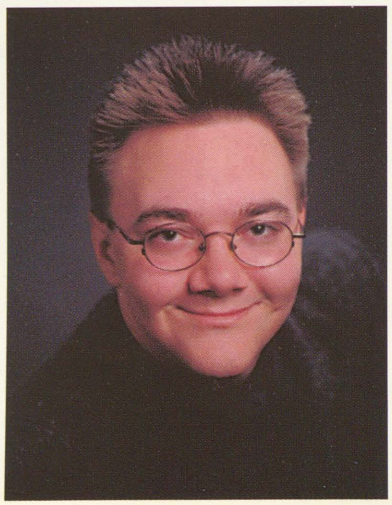


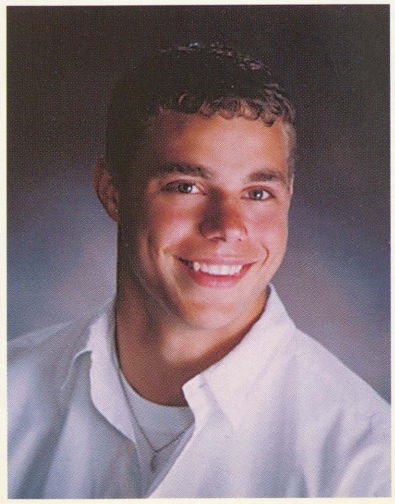


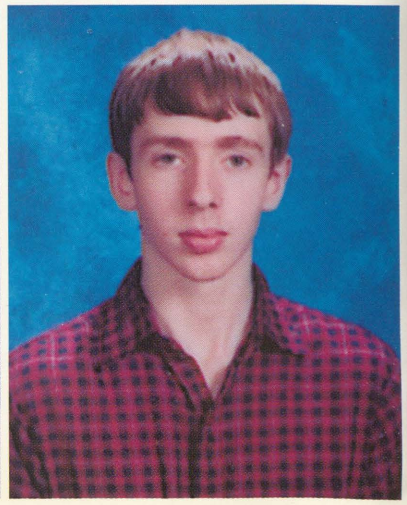
Johnny Thomas
Work Experience 10, 11, 12

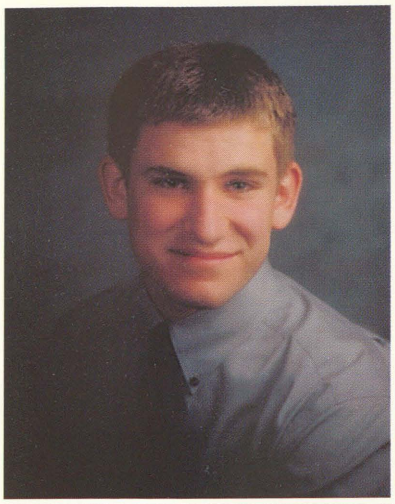
Paul Tithof
Basketball 9, 10, 11* • Football 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Track 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Art Club 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Class Representative 11 • WCHS 12 • WWOW 12 • Homecoming Court

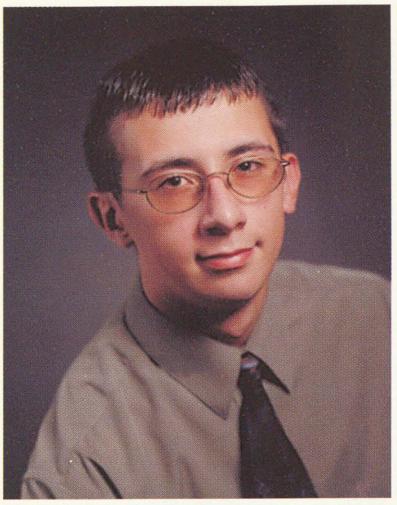


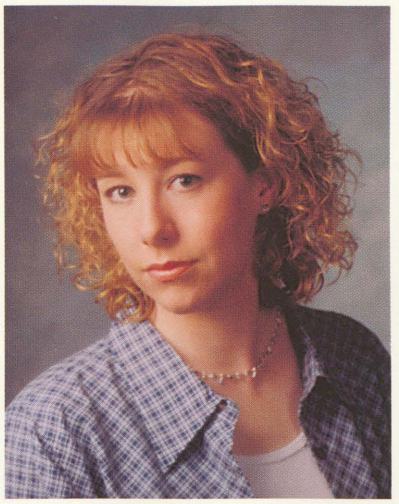
Thomas Tkaczyk
Perfect Attendance 9, 10, 11, 12 • F.F.A. 9, 10, 11, 12 • Science Olympiad 9, 10, 11 • Science Honor Society 9, 10, 11 • Honors







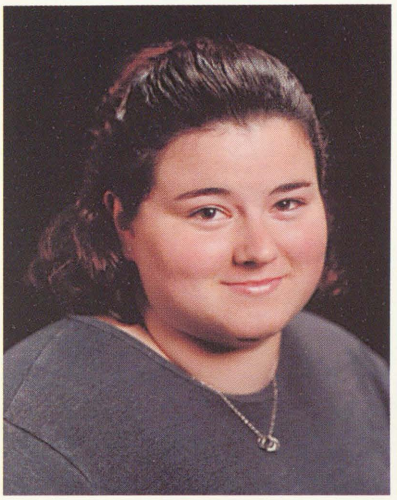


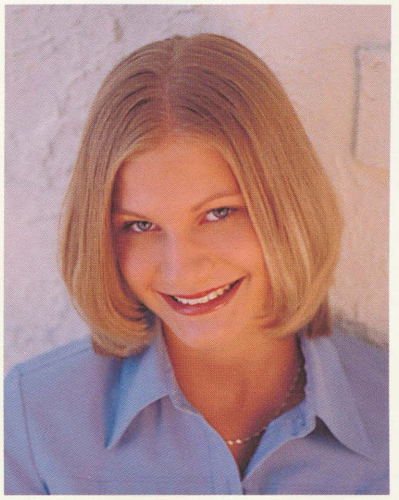


Aaron Tomac
Honors

Robert Tomac
Cross Country 10 • F.F.A. 11, 12

Lori Trumble
Key Club 9, 10 • Yearbook 11, 12 • Student Support Group 10, 11, 12 • Peer Mediation 12 • Honors

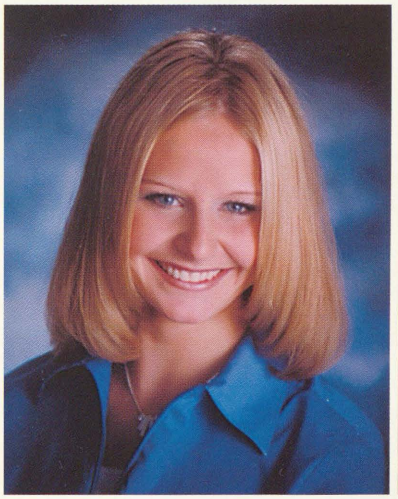


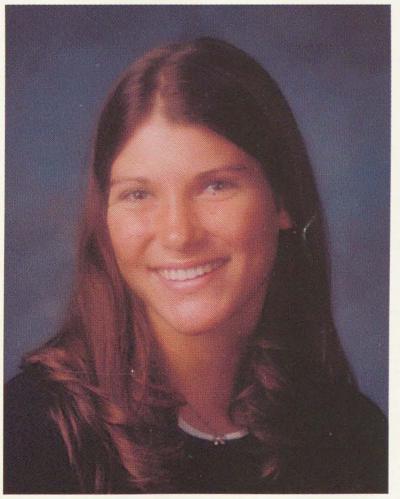


Nicole Turnwald
Marching Band 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Jazz Band 12 • National Honor Society 11, 12 • Forensics 10 • C.A.P.A. 10, 11*, 12*• Choir 10, 11 • Advisory Board 12 • High Honors

Rachal VanHaaren
Marching Band 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• Concert Band 9, 10, 11, 12 • Winter Drumline 10, 11, 12 • C.A.P.A. 10, 11, 12 • S.A.D.D. 9, 10, 11, 12

Melanie Vrable
Basketball 9 • Tennis 10*, 11*, 12*• Volleyball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• National Honor Society 11, 12 • Art Club 10, 11 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Homecoming Court • Yearbook 10, 11 (Editor) • Advisory Board 9, 10 • Class Officer (Vice President) 11, 12 • Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12 (President) • Girls' State 11 • Journalism 9, 10, 11, 12 • Highest Honors • Operation Bentley 11 • Baker Olympics 11, 12

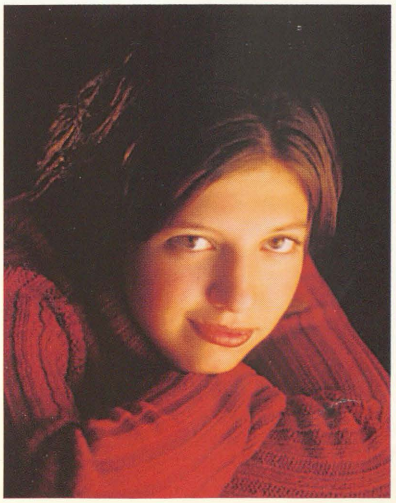


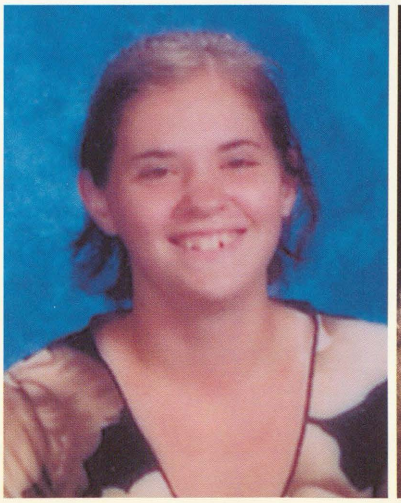


Erica Walker
Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Mentor 12 • Work Experience 11, 12 • Cosmetology 11, 12

Sara Weigold
Basketball 9 • Track 9, 10 • Volleyball 9, 10 • National Honor Society 11, 12 • Art Club 10, 11 • International Club 9 • Yearbook 11 • Advisory Board 9, 10 • Class Officer 9 (Vice President) • Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12 (Treasurer) • Soccer 11, 12* • High Honors

Andrea Weisenberger
Basketball 9, 10*, 11*• Softball 9 • Volleyball 9*, 10*, 11*, 12*• National Honor Society 11, 12 • F.F.A. 10, 11, 12 • WCHS 11 • Mentor 11 • Advisory Board 9, 10, 11, 12 • High Honors





Cara Wendling
Basketball 9, 10, 11*, 12*• Softball 9, 10 • Volleyball 9, 10 • Art Club 9, 10 • F.F.A. 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Mentor 11, 12 • Advisory Board 9, 10, 11, 12 • Soccer 11, 12*

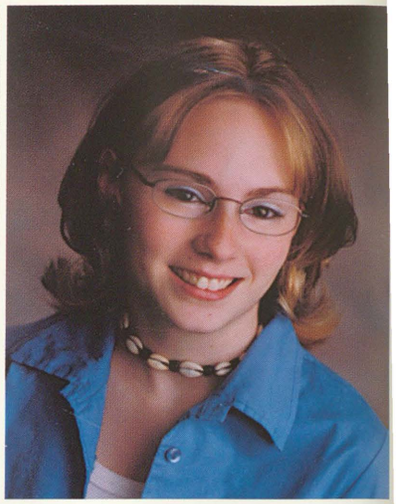
April Wiles

Kelly Wolfe
Mentor 12 • Work Experience 12

Tracy Worden
Marching Band 9, 10*, 11*, 12*

Amanda Wright
Choir 9, 10, 11, 12*

Keely Wright
Winter Guard 10 • Mentor 12 • Mentor 11

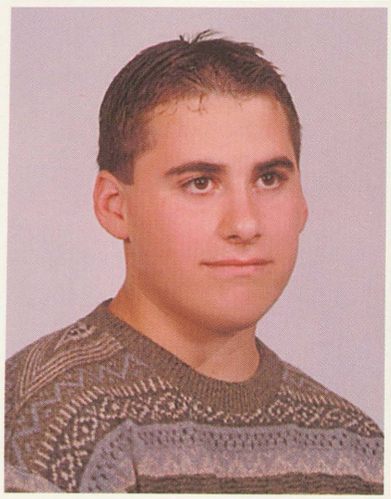


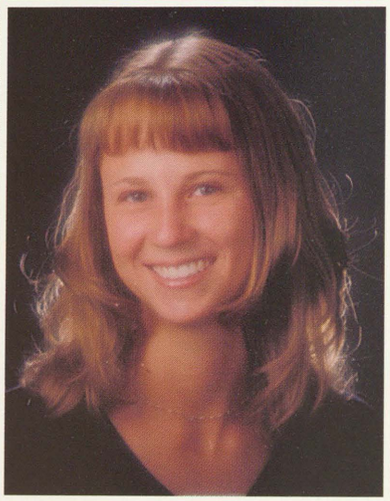
Bryan Yaklin
Track 11, 12 • Cross Country 12*• Work Experience 11, 12

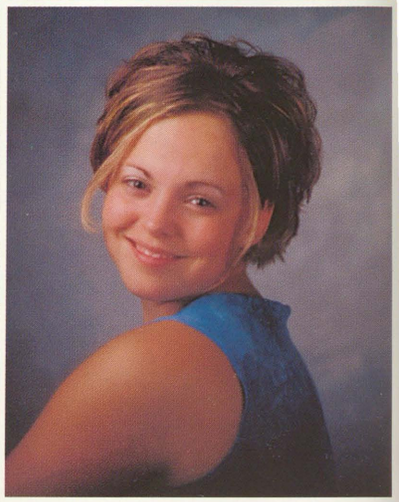
Michelle Zajdlik
Basketball 9, 10, 11*• Softball 9, 10*, 11*, 12*• Volleyball 9, 10 • Marching Band 9, 10*• Concert Band 9 • National Honor Society 11, 12 • Spirit Activities 9, 10, 11, 12 • Yearbook 12 • Mentor 12 • Advisory Board 12 • Highest Honors

Carrie Zervan
Softball 9*, 10*• Track 11*

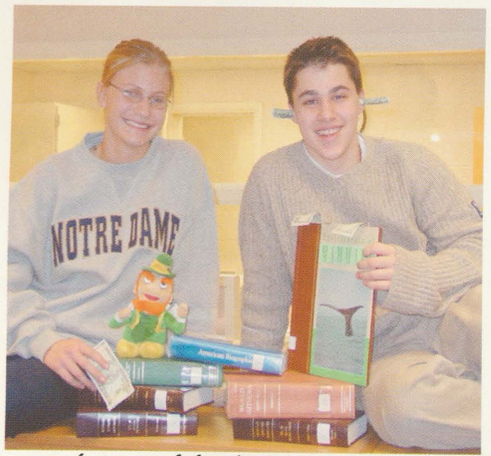
Not Pictured:
Nicholas Gengler







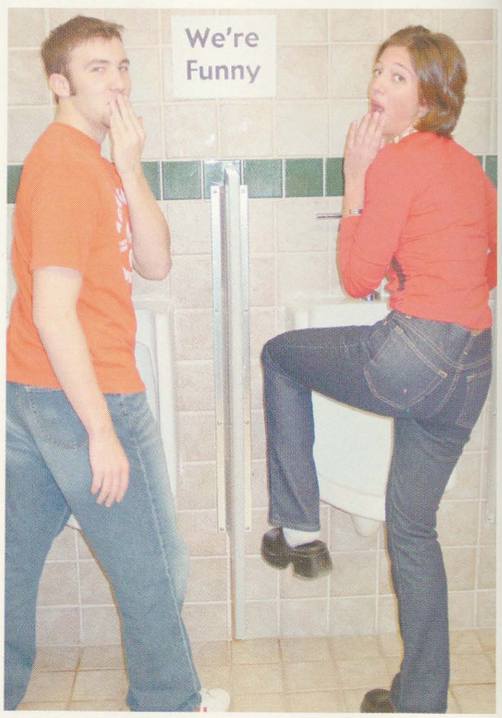
Shada Zuraquat



Seriously Successful: Melanie Vrable and Marc Rehmann

Notorious Nappers: Brandon Chrysler and Michelle Angew

Class Clowns: Chris Breiler and Cara Wendling



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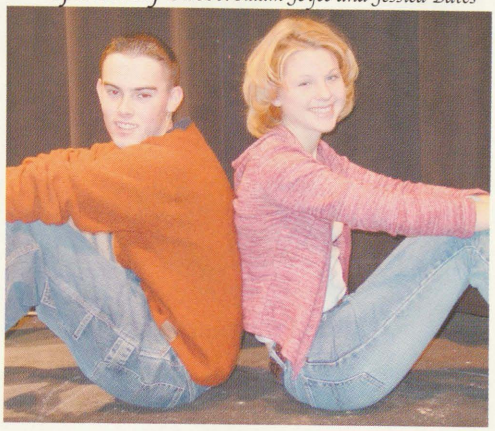
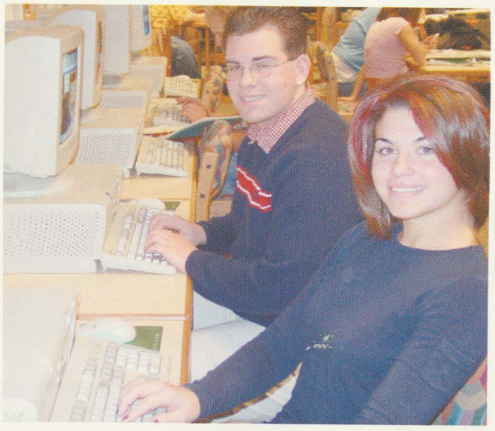
The Senior Selections...

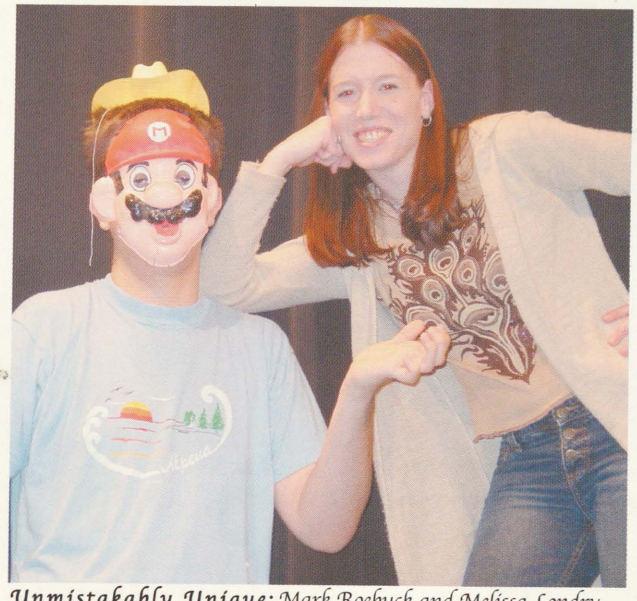
Marvelous Musicians: Ryan Cramer and Laura Kensrud
Amazingly Artistic: Anita Holden and Joe Stroup

Splendidly Sweet: Adam Joyce and Jessica Bates





Cory Agnew



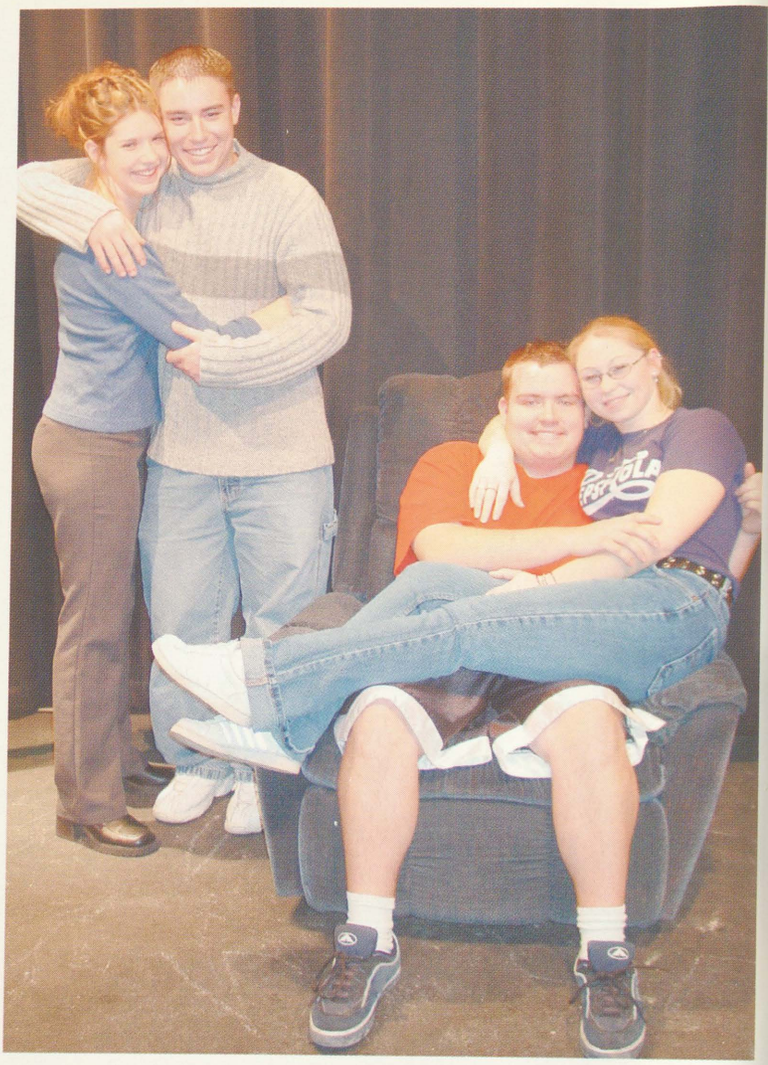
Internet Obsessed: Justin Novak and Hannah McDougall

Unmistakably Unique: Mark Roebuck and Melissa Londry

Amazing Athletes: Karolyn Hemker and Paul Tithof

Really Respected: Brynn Call and Justin Maxa

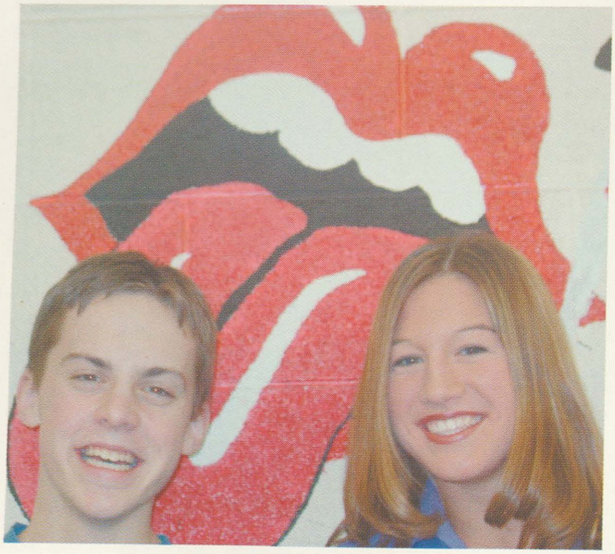
The Senior Selections...



Friendly Flirt: Erica Shuster and Josh Theil

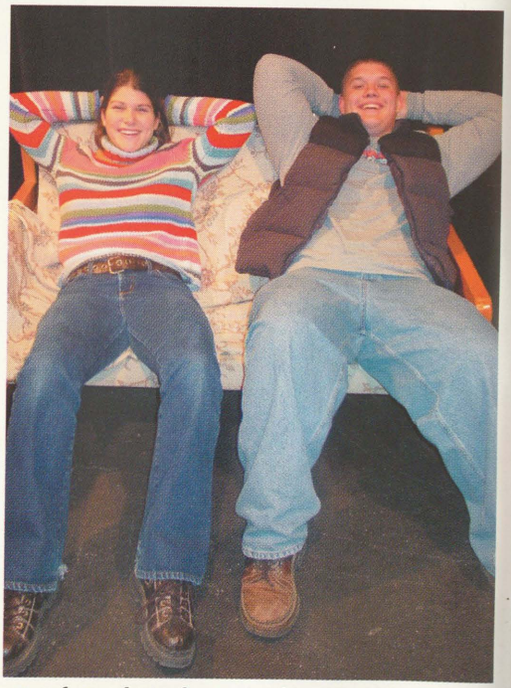
Cutest Couple: Kelly Wolfe and Matt McKay

Julie Esmer



Gorgeous Grins: Mike Johnson and Kylee Kunik

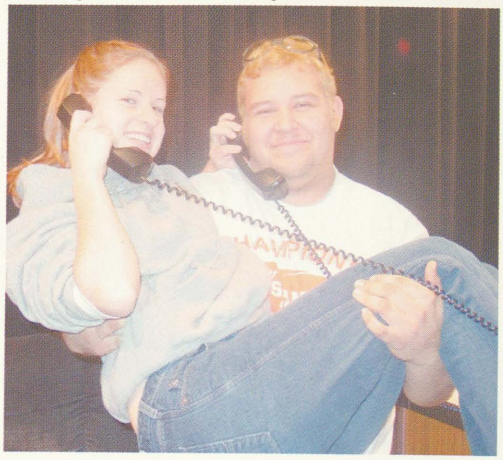
Delightfully Dressed: Anndee Gross and Zac Alden



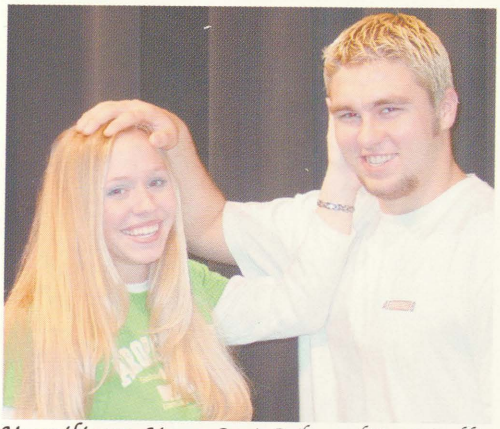
Laid Back Lady & Lad: Annie Weisenberger and Andy Chernow

Sensationally Spirited: *Mary Schneider and Richard Price*

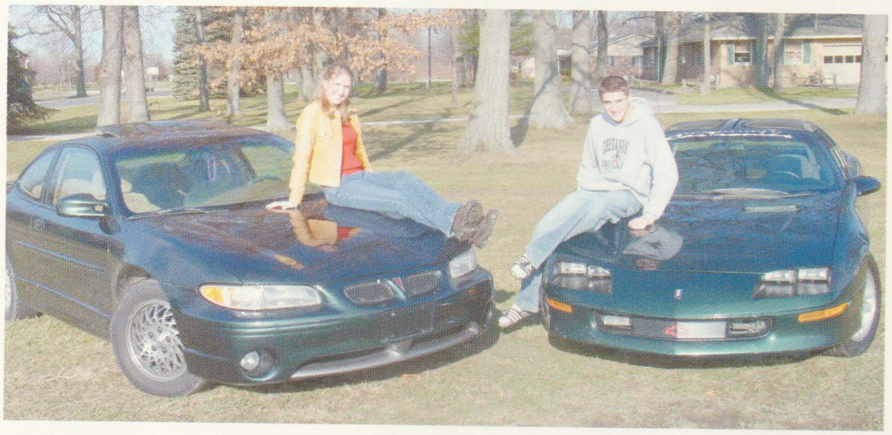
Totally Talkative: *Kimmy Newton and Josh Gosselin*



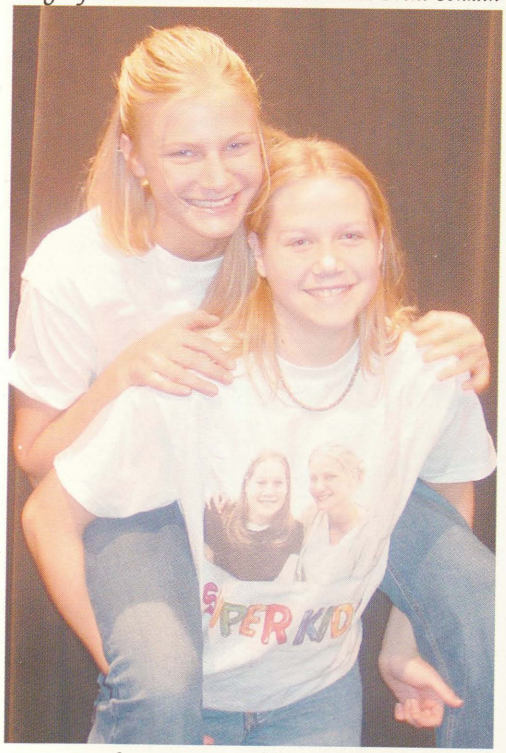
Enticing Eyes: *Tracey Baryo and Jessica Platt*



Magnificant Mane: *Cassie Reiber and Brent Conklin*

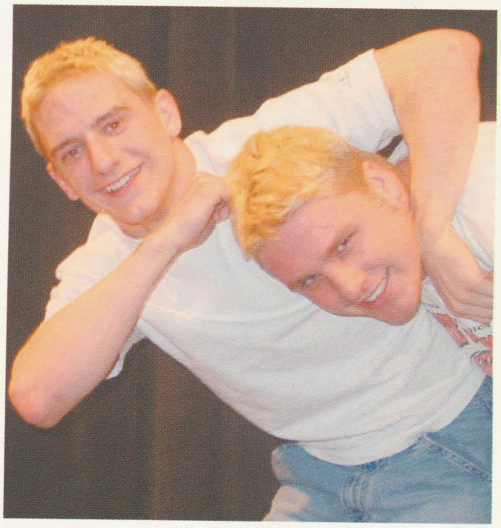


Radical Ride: *Kristen Huffman and Brian Reiber*



Best Buds: *Melanie Vrable and Karolyn Hemker*

Charming Chuckle: *Cristy Lamoruex and Jacob Righi*



Best Buds: *Jason Croucher and Justin Maxa*

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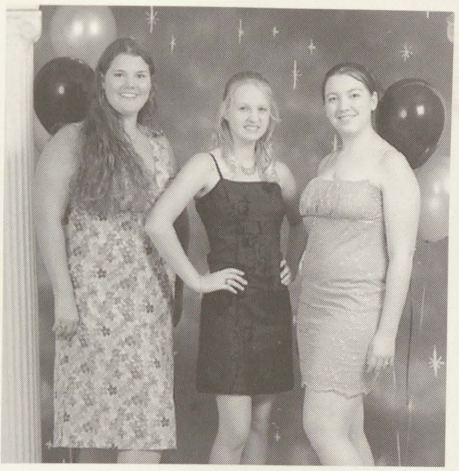
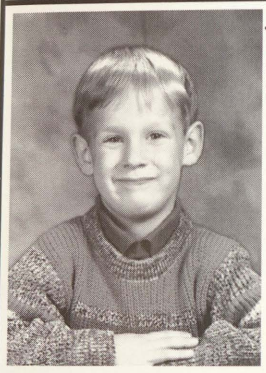
Mark Roebuck

Mark,
Congratulations on your graduation.
Your dad would have been proud of you.
Love, Mom



Mary Hughes

Think of all the fun you had together in school. Keep it close. Remember time puts no distance between true friends.
Love,
Mom & Dad
Hughes

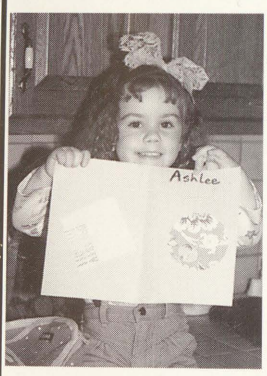


Ryan Cramer

From your first year to the last. If you can imagine it, you can achieve it. If you can dream it, you can become it.
With love,
your family

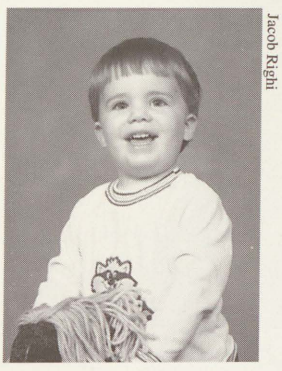
David Emmendorfer

David...
Your future is limited only by your dreams and your imagination.
Go for it!
Love, Mom and Dad



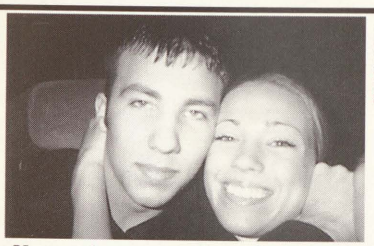
Ashlee Giesken

Ashlee,
It seems like only yesterday you came home from your first day of school and now you're beginning a new and exciting part of your life. We love you and support you in everything you do.
Love, Mom, Dad, Blair and Lexi



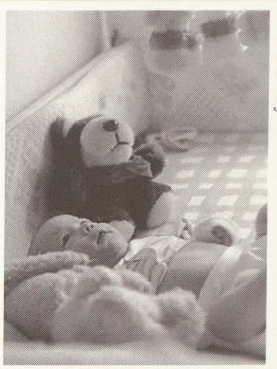
Jacob Righi

Jacob,
The best of everything to you!
Love,
Grandma Theresa



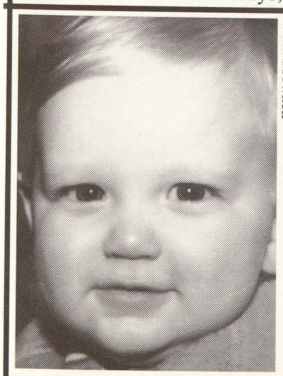
Chris Breiler

Chris, You are the sweetest & goofiest kid I know! I will never forget all the fun times we have shared together & I look forward to many more! I'm really going to miss you and I wish you the best in <u>everything</u> that you do. Good luck at college and have fun. I love you dearly!
Love aways, Jenny



Melissa Londry

Melissa,
You have accomplished so much.
We are proud of you. Stay happy!
Love, Mom and Dad

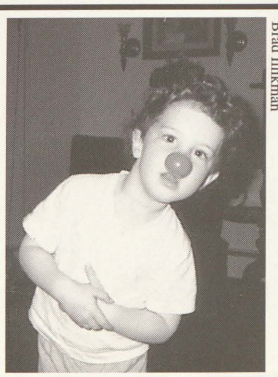


Matt Brownell

Congratulations Matt!
We are very proud of you! "Don't leave any prisoners!"
Love always,
Dad, Mom, Marie, Elizabeth and Jennie

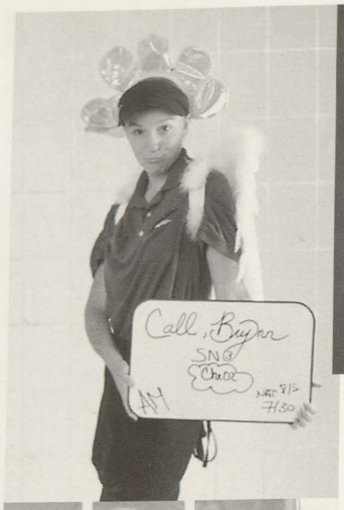
Jacob Righi

Jacob,
You are a "Super Man" and we are very proud of you.
Best wishes always.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Jenna and Joshua

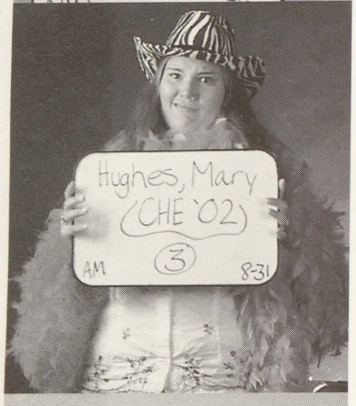


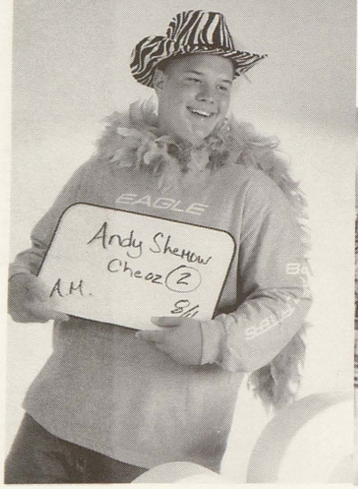
Brad Illikman

Congratulations Brad!
"Keep the nose clean." Good luck wherever the future takes you.
We love you,
Tracy, Kerry, Bre and Wyatte



Matt Thompson





Seniors Remember...

Back in the Day

"I used to write Zac Alden love letters in the bathroom at Big Rock. I decorated them with Lisa Frank stickers. Dustin Gross used to say 'Zac Alden likes you' and I would say 'No, he doesn't' and he said 'Ha, I know.' I never gave him the letters and I burnt them in my room one day."
- Cassie Reiber

"I remember in second grade when I messed up my friendship play with Julie Esmer. Ryan Timlick made fun of me and I started crying. My mom wouldn't let me go home." - Mary Schneider

"When I was in third grade I fell over a sandbox and got a concussion. No one believed me and an ambulance had to take me to the hospital." - Brynn Call

Ricky Delong, Natalie George, Julie Esmer, Ch Gieksen, Dustin Gross, April Kadlec, Katie Kline, L Kensrud and Matt Kulhanek.

"When I was little, I spent the night at Chris Wendling's house a bunch of times. One time I couldn't sleep, so I stole Cara's diary. It had a bunch of stories about her liking me and Chris Breiler. Later that night I got scared (because we watched Leprechaun) so I called my mom and had them come pick me up. I didn't tell anyone and the next morning they were looking for me."
- Zac Alden

"Matt Kulhanek, Brent Bassham, Ricky Delong, and I were in the baseball card business. We collected certain players like Ken Griffey Jr. and Frank Thomas and bought them off each other. We paid up to ten dollars, depending on the value. This lasted up from about second grade to sixth grade." - Brian Reiber

"We always used to play football during lunch. One time I remember playing with Phil Gibbs as quarterback. Before we started to play, I snuck around and found a bunch of worms. Then I put the worms inside the ball. He got mad at me and wouldn't let me play. I guess I was quite the sneaky one."
- Dustin Gross

Anna Brown, Holly Garno and Angela Gatic

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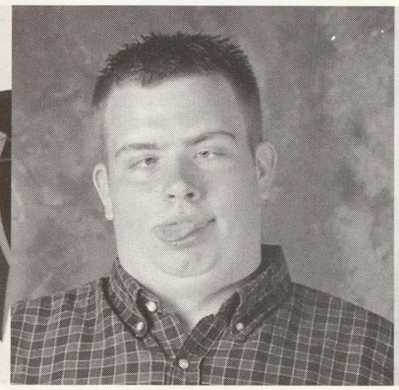
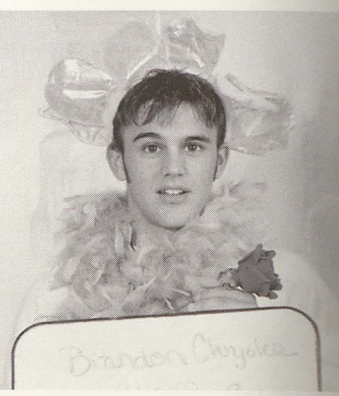
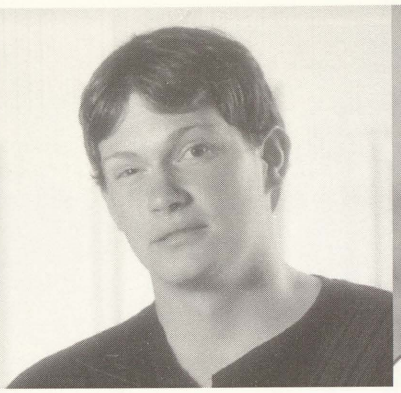






Cara Wendling, Matt Ferry and Carissa Kukulis

"In fourth grade, Ricky Sutter and I had Mr. Tekiele for Science. One day we were doing a lab, and Mr. Tekiele brought out a torch. As he was lighting the torch, a fly flew over top of the flame. The fire burned off one of the fly's wings, and Mr. Tekiele has kept the fly to this day."
- Melissa Hemgesberg

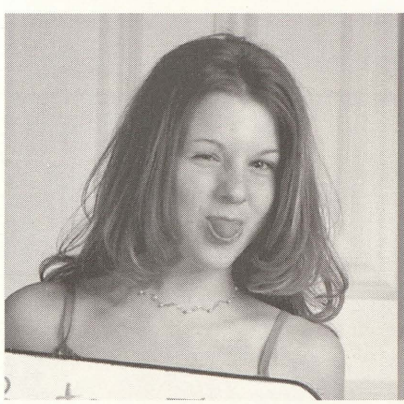
"I think most of our grade remembers the famous Adam Gasper incident. I was in seventh grade and we were going out for about a week or so. One day before a volleyball game, a few of us girls went to Little Caesars. My wonderful cousin Cassie decided to tell Adam that I wanted to kiss him. Then he told all of his friends, and soon everyone I was with knew about the little plot but me. So when he leaned over to kiss me, everyone was watching. I got freaked out, and pulled away. Then I ran back to the middle school crying." - Melanie Vrable.

"Lunchtime at Albee was mainly used for kickball. While trying to get the ball, I got tripped and fell right on my face. At the time, I had a metal retainer which was shoved into the upper and lower parts of my mouth. My mouth was stuck open and I couldn't speak. I was sent home early from school that day."
- Joe Stroup

Julie Esmer, Elyse Stickel, Melissa Hemgesberg, Mary Hughes and Sara Weigold

"When I was in second grade at Big Rock, I was playing during recess and I wanted to go down the slide. There was an older kid standing at the top of the slide and he wouldn't let me go down the slide unless I said the 'F' word. I really wanted to go down the slide, so I innocently swore and the kid let me go down. When I got to the bottom of the slide, a recess monitor made me sit on the curb because he had heard me swear. None of the other kids who were swearing got in trouble besides me. Life can be so unfair." - Carrie Hudecek

"At Albee, we used to play on the sewers. We would always play karate and kick ball on them, not to mention eat our lunch. We didn't understand the smell until recently." - Richard Price



Andy & Becky Thiel

From playing together to graduating together.
Congratulations Becky & Andy!
Love
Mom, Dad, and Scott

Justin Birchmeier

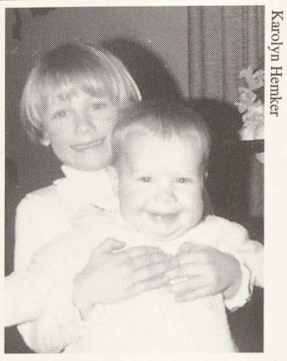
Justin,
From your very first day of school to your last, you have made us very proud. We know you have it in you to take a challenge and succeed.
Good luck in college and your future. Thanks for being a great son.
We love you!
Mom & Alan

Chris Barancik

Christopher,
You have always bee a joy to us and we ar thankful God Blessed us with you. With th many talents God has given you we know you'll succeed. Keep focused and study hard in the college of your choice. We are always here to suppor you.
We love you very much, Mom & Dad
P.S Way to go "B"
I'm proud of you!
Cool Beans, Josh

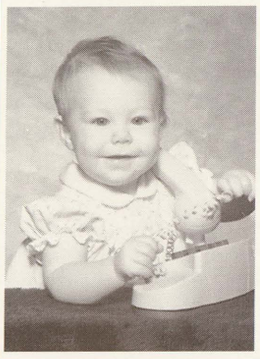
Laura Kensrud

Laura Jean,
Thank you for the entertainment during the past four years. Congratulations on your accomplishments and good luck at college.
We love you!
Mom, Dad & Beth
P.S.
Dad says "Study Hard, get good grades!"



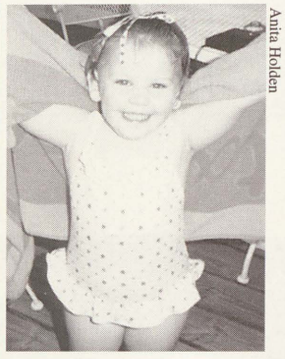
Karolyn Henker

Congratulations Karolyn! I will always be there when you need me. Good luck at college.
Love,
Theresa



Lori Trumble

Our sweet little girl has grown into a lovely young woman. May all your dreams come true.
Love,
Grandma & Grandpa



Anita Holden

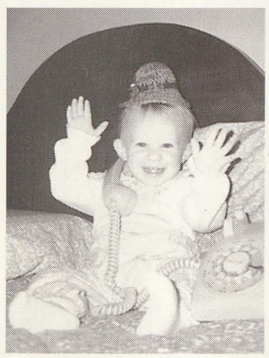
Anita-
You are a work of art from God!
Don't let anybody steal your dreams. The facts don't count, when the dreams are big enough and you have the passion to succeed. You're a winner. Fly on eagles' wings. Love,
Mom, Dad, Travis, Paige & Grandma

Brent Lorencz

Brent,
We hope you accomplish everything you want in life.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Nick, Stacy & Tayler

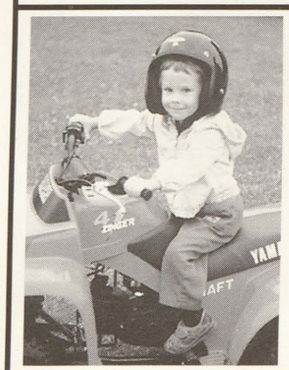
Julie Esner

Hey Ju,
Time has gone by so fast! But we know that whatever you do you will always have your faith in God and love of life.
Congratulations!
Love,
Mom & Dad



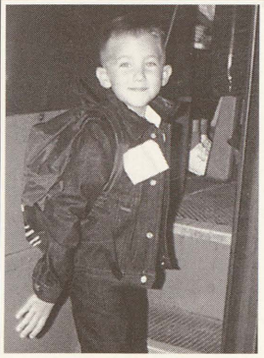
Kristen Huffman

Kristen,
We are proud of you!!
Follow your heart and keep smiling.
Love,
Mom, Dad & Kyle



Adam Brown

Adam,
Our love and blessings go with you as you ride the big four wheeler in life's path as a man. Always keep your sweet smile and your head held high.
Love,
Mom & Dad

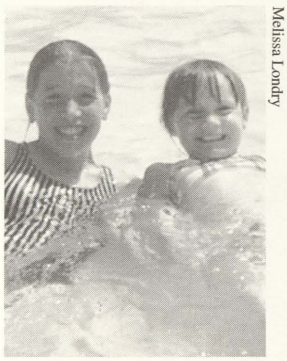


Chris Breiler

Chris,
As you step on the bus for your first day of school who could have known what fun the years followed would be! We wish you that same excitement as you pursue your career in police work.
With all our love,
Mom & Dad

Marylynn Theile

Good Luck Marylynn!
Love,
Dad, Mom & Ed



Melissa Londry

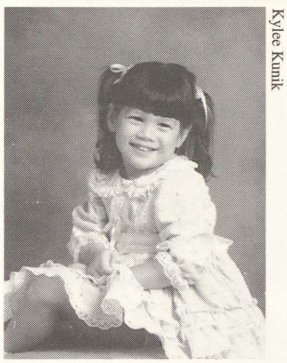
Melissa-
My Friend~
My Hero
Love,
Carolyn

Cassie Reiber

Cassie,
It is hard to believe you don't have to pretend to be grown up anymore! We are so proud of you. Remember...have fun, but be careful.
Love,
Mom, Dad & Drew

Michelle Agnew & Chad Sodkup

Long time friends...
Michelle and Chad



Kylee Kunik

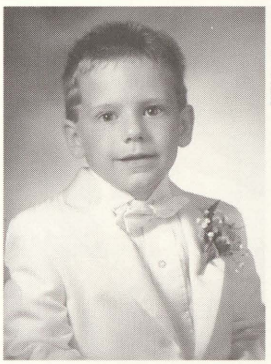
Kylee,
We are very proud of you. We know you will go far in life because you have a heart of gold and a smile that can melt anyone's heart, especially ours.
"We love you very much"
Mom & Dad

Jill Meyer

Jill-
We are so proud of you! Good luck at college next year!
Love,
Mom & Dad

April Kadlec

April Anne Kadlec,
Sis! You've come a long way! We love you.
Grandpa & Grandma Nixon
& Matt



Jason Croucher

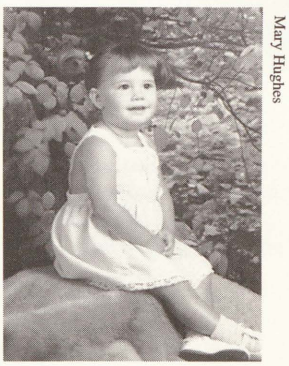
Jason-
You're still cute even now that you're all grown up! Thanks for all the wonderful memories. We couldn't be more proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad and Heather

Carrie Hudecek

Carrie,
You continue to amaze us with your accomplishments. We are very proud of you and know that you're bound to be successful in all that you do.
Love,
Mom, Dad & Christine

Annie Weisenberger

Andrea Weisenberger
Nice Hair!
Congratulations
Love,
Your family

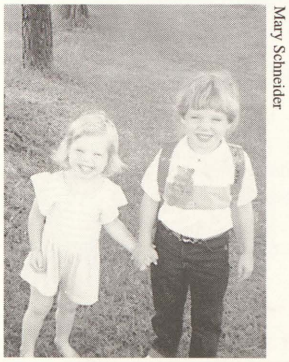


Mary Hughes

Mary,
"Just be yourself, it's something that can't be taken away."
We love you always.
Mom & Dad

Brynn Call

Brynn,
God blessed us to have you as our daughter. You are so faithful, loving, kind, and trustworthy to those around you. And we are so proud that you live what you believe.
All our love to our princess,
Mom and Dad



Mary Schneider

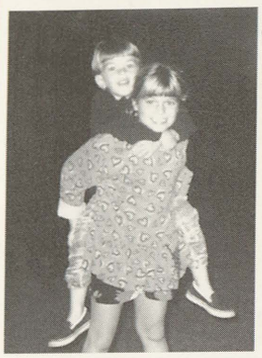
Dear Sis,
We will always be pals where ever we go, whatever we do.
Love, Char

Nicole Busci

Nicole,
Reach for the moon and if you miss you will always be a star. In our hearts you'll always be our little girl. Congratulatons, we knew you could do it!
Love,
Mom and Paul

Renee Hernandez

Nay,
Whether I'm at home or in Georgia, you'll always be my lil' sister. We've been through a lot and we've helped each other when we were down. We shared many tears, but most of all we shared many laughs. You've stood by my side when others put me down and for that I will ALWAYS love you. You've been my lil' sister, and my best friend since I could remember. I'll always be here when ever you need me, no matter how far away. Love your Big Sis,
Rita
P.S. Always remember if you can't be good...BE BAD.

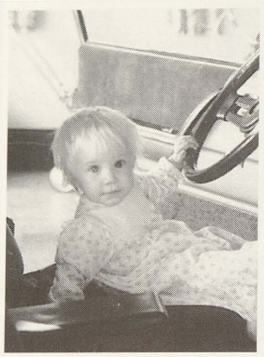


April Kadlec

April,
Thank you for all the rides to school. I will miss that.
-Adam

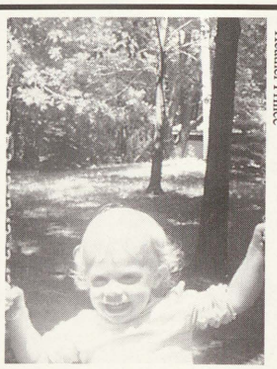
Justin Maxa

Justin,
May you always be excited about life.
Love & Congratulations.
Mom, Dad, and your brother



Melanie Vrable

Mel,
You knew from early on that nothing was beyond your reach! Way to go! You're in the driver's seat now.
Enjoy!
Love,
Mom & Dad



Heather Prince

Heather,
Keep smiling and the world will smile with you. Good luck in the future, we love you!!
Love,
Dad, Mom,
Kristin and Kevin

Nicole Busci

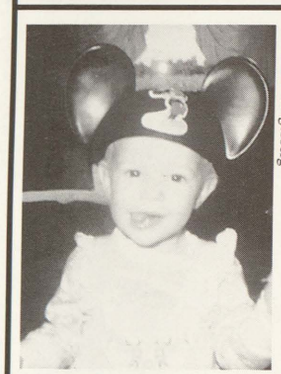
Nicky,
You will always be my only sissy. Don't ever forget that I love you infinity plus one.
Love ya,
Austin

Brad Haney

Brad-
A bad day of fishing is better than a good day at school! Good luck in your future endeavors!
Love ya always,
Mom, Dad, Brent, and your little sister Beth!

Cara Wendling

Hey Pumkin!
You sure have given us so many laughs. We love you and wish you all the best with your future plans.
Love,
Dad, Mom & Chris

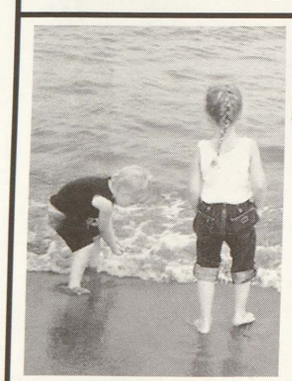


Shauna Hemgesberg

Shauna,
You have always been a bright spot in our lives.
Thank you for teaching us.
Love you,
Mom, Dad & Jason

Mary Schneider

Congratulations Mary Anna!
This sweet little girl has grown into a fine young lady. We are all so proud.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Willie, Sarah & Char

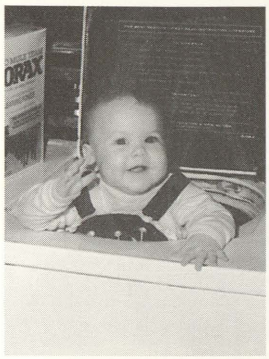


Jessica Bates

Jessica-
We wish you success in all your future ambitions, and know that we are proud of all your accomplishments.
Love,
Mom & Dad

Miranda Aguilar

Miranda,
You did it! We are so proud of you. Our sweet lovable daughter. Our super senior.
Congratulations!
We love you!
From Mom & Dad



Michelle Agnew

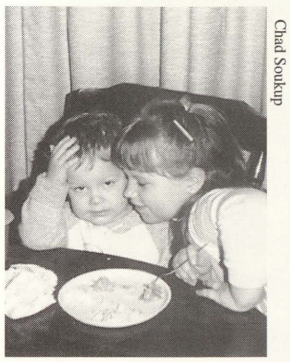
Michelle,
Good Luck in the future and always remember "everything always comes out in the wash!!!"
Love,
Mom & Dad

Michelle Zajdlik

Michelle,
It seems like only yesterday you were our sweet little girl. Now you're a confident young woman. We are so very proud of you. Remember, you can be whatever your heart desires. Good luck at college-we'll miss you! Thanks for being such a great kid!
Love you,
Mom & Dad

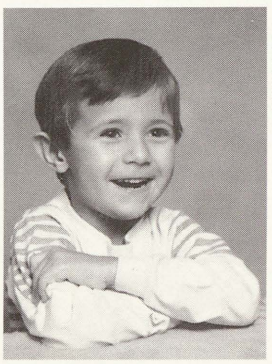
Hannah McDougall

Hannah,
You have always brightened our lives with your smile! Good Luck at school and with your future! There is a lot in life that is hard, but take it as it comes and find the good...and make time to laugh, sing and dance.
"We love you"



Chad Soukup

Dear Chad-
This picture says a lot, doesn't it? I know I've been a pain at times, but you're one of my best friends. It has been so much fun growing up with you. I am going to miss you! Enjoy every moment you have in college- and make sure you CALL me sometimes! (and mom if you get a chance.)
I love you!
Mee-moe

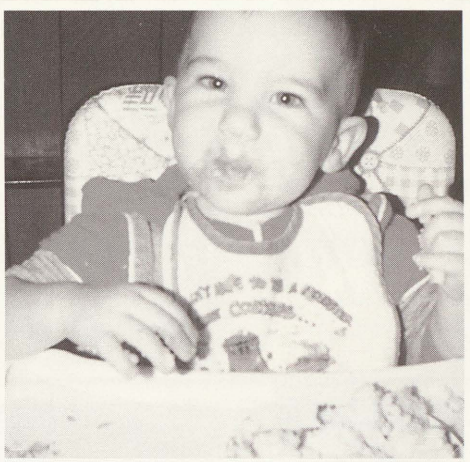


Robert Tomac

Congratulations Bobby!
We are very proud of you.
Love,
Mom & Dad

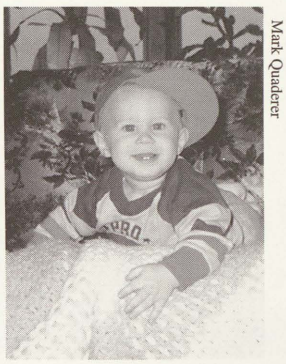
Amber Odenbaugh

Amber,
Look to the heavens and reach for the stars. And know that you'll always have a penny for your thoughts, a quarter for the call, and all of your mama's love.
Love & Blessings,
Mom



Chris Breiler

Chris-
Here you celebrate your first year in the world! Your dad and I wish you all the happiness that life has to offer. We love you!
Mom & Dad

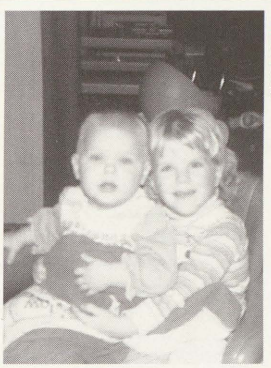


Mark Quaderer

"Marcus Fly"
With you always,
Love,
Dad & Mom

Jenny Kelley

Jenny,
Good Luck in the future. I hope all of your dreams come true! Love ya!
Laurie

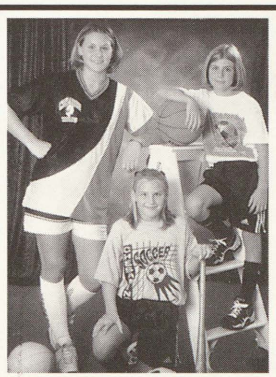


Julie Esmer

Julie,
You've always been my best friend and I'm proud of you!
Love,
Cat

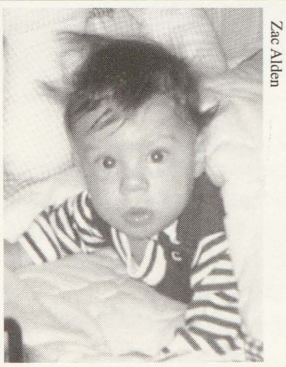
Brynn Call

Brynn,
Keep up the good work and keep the faith. If you need anything, just know I'm here.
Love,
Your big brother
Bryce



Jori Pacek

Jori,
You are our hero. We will miss you when you go to college.
Love,
Whitney &
Sydney

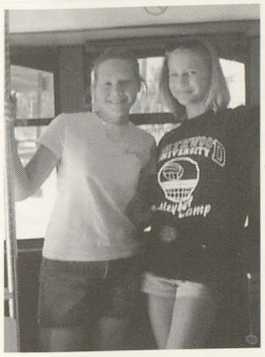


Zac Alden

"What time is it?!" Time to graduate son! Aim high- we know you can accomplish anything you truly set your sights on. We are so proud of you. All our love always,
Mom & Dad

Joe Stroup

Joseph,
I left the bus stop two years ago, now it's your turn to leave the lunch box and pick up the briefcase and reach for the stars. I love you little brother,
Roxanne



Melanie Vrable & Karolyn Hemker

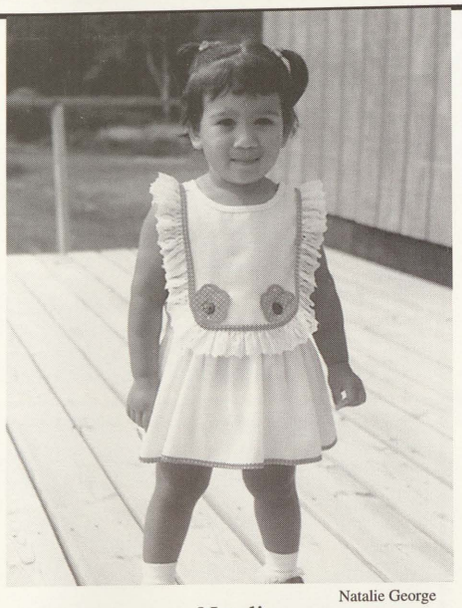
The trail goes back a long way for these two friends. May all of your life experiences be as much fun as those horse back riding days in Albuquerque. Doubles together; friends forever,
Karolyn & Mel.
Congratulations!

Brandi Gross

Brandi,
We know you had a few rough times throughout the years, but we always knew that you would make it! We are so proud of you!
Congratulations,
Mom & Dad

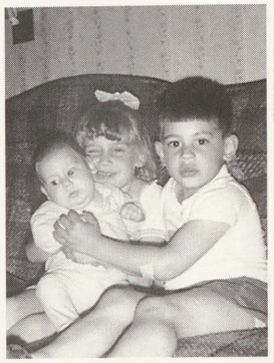
Erica Shuster

Giddy Up Cupcake!
We know a wonderful future awaits you. We are so proud of you and everything you have accomplished so far. We love you more-
Mom, Dad & Chad



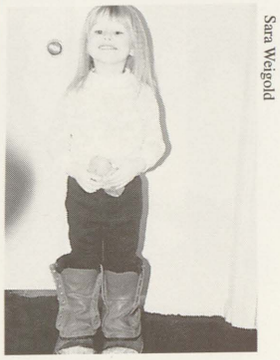
Natalie George

Natalie,
We are so very proud of you.
Congratulations!
Love,
Mom & Dad



Bobbie Keroson

Bobbie,
You are a great brother and friend. Thanks for making life at home always interesting. (Oh, by the way, we were and will forever be cuter than you!)
Congratulations!
Love, Little Sissy Mae and Big Sissy Tasha



Sara Weigold

Sara-
Nice Killer boots man. Keep on Stylin'. Good luck in all you do.
Love,
your brother
Nic

Kelly Wolfe

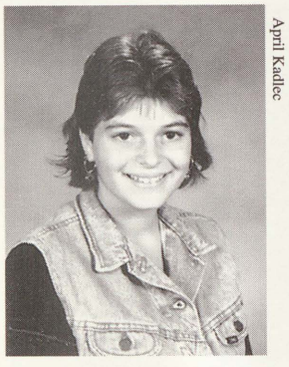
To our favorite daughter, may all your dreams come true, and all the success come to you!
Love,
Mom & Dad

Mike Johnson

Michael,
From the time of play cars to driving the real thing. From your first day of school to the last day there. You have been a wonderful addition to our lives. Congratulations, we're very proud of you.
Love, Mom, Dad, Jamie and Rissy

Heather Prince

Heather,
No matter what, you will always be our angel.
Love,
Grandpa and Grandma Bentling



April Kadlec

April,
We enjoyed all your school events, time sure did go fast.
Love from,
Grandma and Grandpa

Anndee Gross

Congratulations Princess!
You are a very special daughter and sister. We know you will be successful in anything you do.
We love you,
Mom, Dad, Kim and Jill

Brad Maslowski

Brad,
You have grown-up from such a cute little man to a handsome senior. Congratulations and good luck in the future.
All our Love,
Mom, Dad, Lisa, Matt & Brad

Alyssa Emmendorfer

Alyssa,
No matter how far apart, I'll always be there to help you with the tough ones!
With love,
Your big Sis

Greg Hudecek

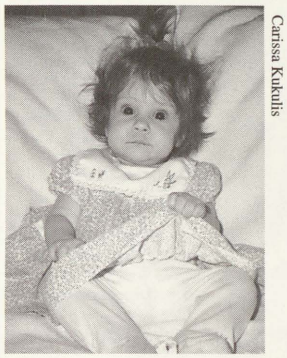
Way to go Greg!
You have always made us proud.
NEVER quit trying!
Love, Mom and Dad

Darah Wolverton

Darah Lynn
Reach for the stars- because if anyone can get to the top...it's you!!
Never give up on your dreams!
Congratulations and Good luck in college. We'll miss you!
Love, Dad & Mom, Courtney & Heather

Mary Hughes

"If I could reach up and hold a star for every time you've made me smile, the entire evening sky would be in the palm of my hand."
-unknown
Good Luck at CMU!! We love you!
Jarod, Jenna and Jake

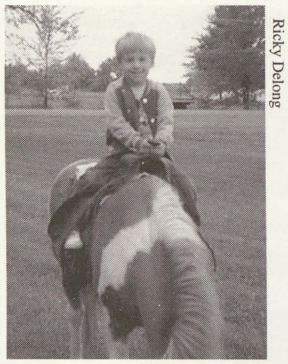


Carissa Kukulis

Carissa,
Congratulations, hope all you wish & hope for will be yours throughout the years ahead.
Love you Always,
Mom

Cara Gross

Care Bear,
Time goes so fast. We're proud of you and we'll always be here for you.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Lyndsay & Kali



Ricky Delong

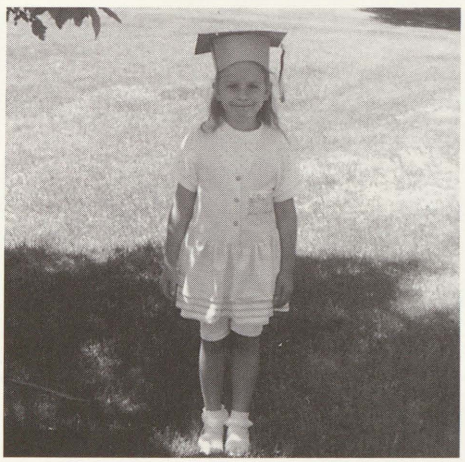
Rick-
From a nice little boy to a kind young man-
You will soon ride off into new adventures.
Best of luck.
We love you,
Mom and Dad

Christie Lehman

To the love of my life.
Love ya 4 ever.
Bobby

Dustin Gross

Keep Smiling!
Love,
Mom, Jim and Anthony

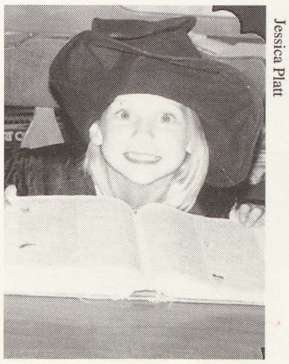


Chelsey Giesken

Chelsey-
Preschool graduation not so long ago
High school graduation upon us all too soon
Our little girl is grown ready
to make her own way.
We wish you a future filled with joy, happiness, and success.
Love,
Mom and Dad

Jeannie Stam

Jeannie,
We're very proud of you.
Love,
Grandma and Grandpa Theile

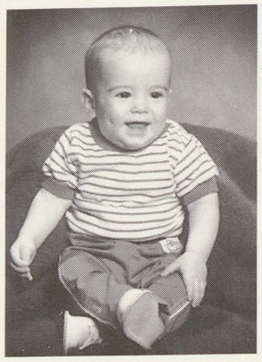


Jessica Platt

Jessica Joy Platt
Good Luck in all your future cases and places.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Monica, Richonda and Carl

Brent Lorencz

Brent,
We hope you roll into a happy future. Good luck in everything you choose to do.
Love, Mom and Dad



Adam Joyce

Adam Ant,
You've always brought smiles to our faces and joy to our lives! Congratulations on all of your accomplishments and best wishes for your future. May all your dreams come true!
Love always, Dad, Mom, Aaron and Anthony

Angela Birchmeier

Ang,
We're going to miss you even if we did have our fights. You are a great big sister and we look up to you. I know you will be successful in all you do. We love you.
Connie and Adam

April Kadlec

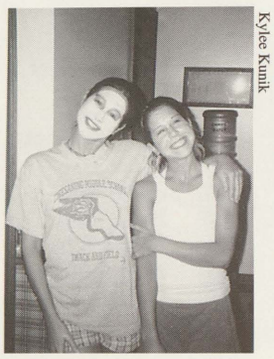
Dear sis,
We were so proud of you when you were born. We thought we had the most beautiful little girl. Now that you are a young beautiful adult we are still so proud of you! We have no doubt that you will succeed in anything you do. We love you,
Mom, Dad and Adam.

Elyse Stickel

Elyse,
From a little girl to a wonderful young woman. I am so proud of you. Good luck in all you do as you set out on your new grown up life.
Love, Mom, Dad, Brad and Makalia

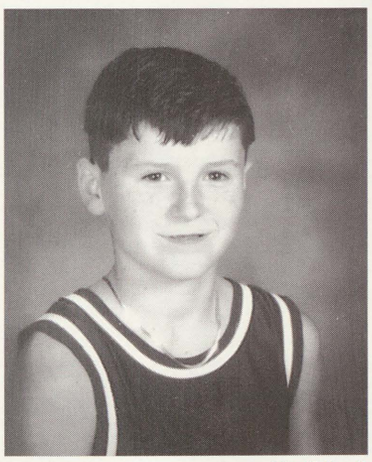
Cristy Lamroutex

Cristy,
Your dad and I would like to congratulate you on a very big accomplishment and we know the choices you make beyond high school will be a great success. We wish you luck for all the days to follow.
Love,
Mom and Dad



Kylee Kunik

Kylee,
Thanks for being a wonderful big sister and role model, I'll miss your crazy self, but have fun at college.
I love you,
Court



Matt Kulhanek

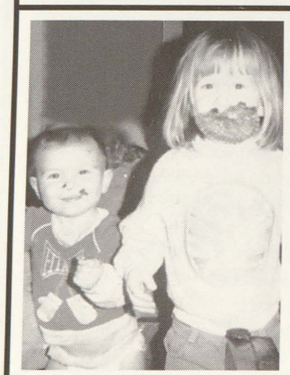
Matt,
We are very proud of you! Continue to work hard and success will follow you all your life.
Love,
Dad, Mom, Kim, Erica and Mike

Jenny Kelby

Yellow Outfit!
We like to see you smile, so do so more often! Good luck with your future endeavors. We love you very much!
Mom, Dad and Kyle

Melissa Hemgesberg

Melissa, we are very proud of you. Remember, anything is possible. All it takes is a little hard work and faith.
Love always,
Mom, Dad and Big Bro.



Melissa Londry

Melissa,
This was the one time we were not fighting. You've grown up to be a great big sister. Good luck in the future.
Love KJ

Anndee Gross

Congratulations
We are so proud of you. We know you will do great in college.
Love, Grandma & Grandpa Weber

Christie Lehman

Good luck and may God bless.

Grandma and Grandpa

Kerissa Shindorf

Kerissa,
Congratulations! Best of luck always. We love you and will always be by your side! Good luck in college.
Love,
Mom and Dad

Dustin Gross

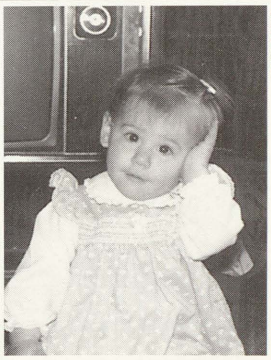
Hope you'll always see things clearly!
Love ya,
Karlye

Hannah McDougall

Hannah,
Thanks for always being there for me. I am gonna miss not seeing you in the halls at school. Good luck at college!
Love, Halee

Bobbie Kerosen

Bobbie,
God blessed me with a very special son and no matter where your future plans take you I know you can accomplish anything you set your heart on.
Love you
Always,
Mom & Gary

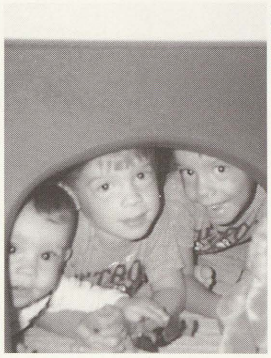


Jori Pacek

Jori,
We are so proud of you. Your hard work and determination has amazed us. Keep smiling that beautiful smile.
We love you
Mom and Dad

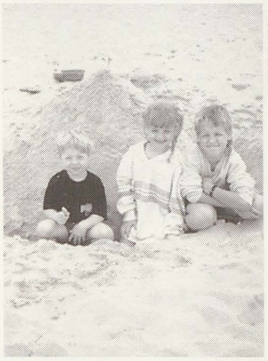
Robert Tomac

Bobby,
You're the first one to leave the nest. We're so proud of you and know you'll go far in life.
Love,
Ryan and Brett



Zac Alden

Zac-
I think they found us and they are not going to believe our story- but we will always stay by your side.
Congratulations and good luck.
Tyler and Drew



Jessica Bates

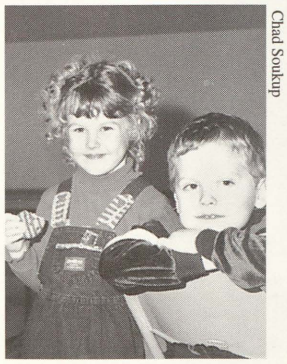
Jessie:
Have fun at College!!
Love,
Jacob & Tyler

Heather Prince

Heather,
You've always been music to our ears, we wish you luck in the future. Love, Grandpa and Grandma Prince

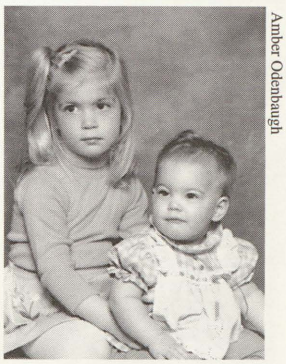
Jill Meyer

Jill-
Think of me when you're at college scraping your own windows during the winter. I'll miss you and good luck next year.
Love, Steve



Chad Soukup

Dear Michelle and Chad-
You always seemed like our younger siblings. It was fun growing up with you! Make sure you have fun in college! And--do some homework if you have time. Good luck and keep in touch!
Love-
Megan & Abby

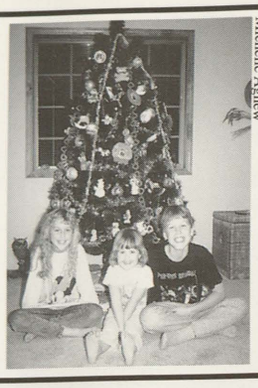


Amber Odenbaugh

Amber,
Hey Ber-Buns! I love you and no matter where the road of life leads you, I'll always be behind you.
Love your big sis,
Mandalyn

Karolyn Henker

Karolyn-
You went from our "K-baby" to "Super-Sport." We are very proud of all your accomplishments.
Love,
Mom, Dad,
Angie, Mike and Theresa

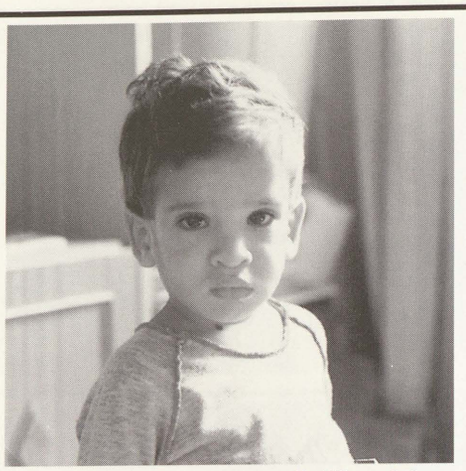


Michelle Agnew

Michelle -
Good job sis!
We're so proud of all that you have accomplished!
Have fun at college!
Love,
John & Mar

Sara Moss

You go girl!
We are very proud of you.
Dad, Mom, Jack, Val and James

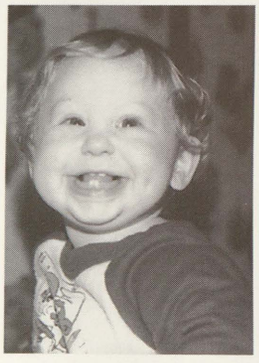


David Emmendorfer

David,
A darling little boy from Brazil was the best thing I ever did in my life.
Love, Mom

Ricky DeLong

My little brother Rick -
You and all the chicks - you haven't changed a bit. Good luck at college.
Love Janee



Kelly Wolfe

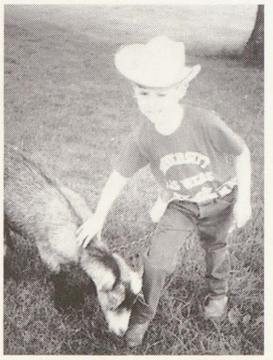
Chocolate,
Remember, you will always be my little miracle.
Love,
Mom

Jeannie Stam

Jeannie,
God bless you in everything you do. Good luck in college. We're very proud of you.
Love,
Mom & dad

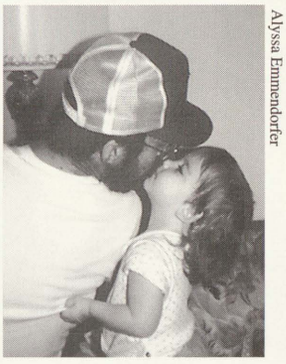
Rich Price

Richie,
Congratulations and best wishes always. We are very proud of you. Follow your dreams and you will go far.
Love,
Mom, Dad & Jennifer



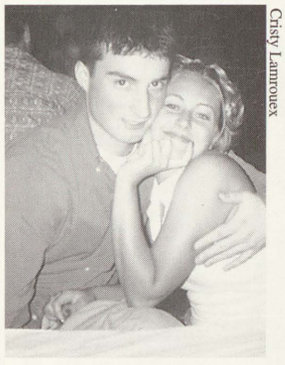
Kerissa Shindorf & Carissa Kukulis

Congratulations and good luck. May life have wonderful things in store for you both.
Love Mom S.



Alyssa Emmendorfer

Alyssa,
You'll always be my little girl!
Keep reaching for the stars!
Love,
Dad

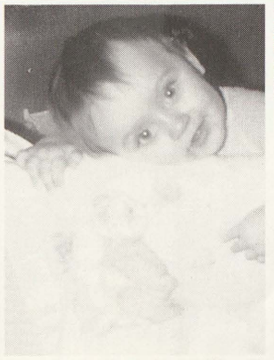


Cristy Lamrouex

Congratulations cutie!
Love Josh

Sara Weigold

To our sun-bathing goddess. You have given us many fond memories. We're proud of all your accomplishments. Good luck in college and all you do.
Love,
Mom & Dad

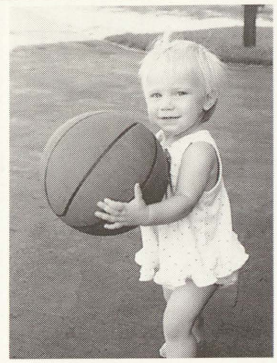


Brandi Gross

Brandi,
You made it!
We know you waited a long time for this day and we are so proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad,
Teysha & Cody

Michelle Zajdlik

From middle school to high school you have all been friends. We are SO proud of all you and your accomplishments and especially the way you have always been there for each other. Good luck in your futures and always keep in touch.
Love, John & Becky Bates and Bob & Cathy Zajdlik

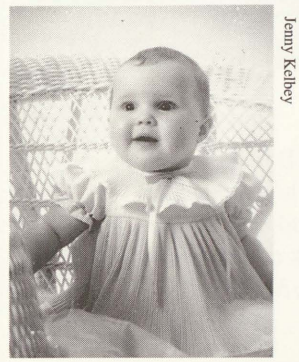


Melanie Vrable

Little sis was never afraid to shoot for her dreams. Now her future is as big as this ball. We're so proud of you Mel!
Love,
Jamie & Jenn

Christie Lehman

You have come so far. We are so proud.
Mom, Dad, Carrie and Jessica

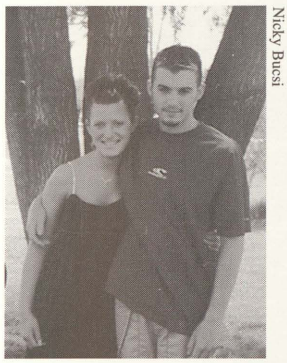


Jenny Kelbey

Best wishes for our favorite #1 grandaughter.
Love,
Grandma and Grandpa

Mark Quaderer

THE QUAD SQUAD
All for one and one for all ~ always.
Sarah, Bryan and Arynn

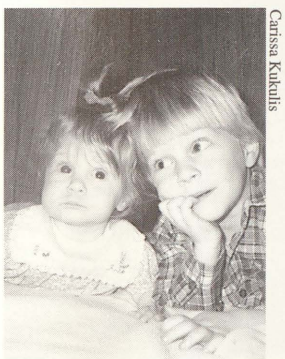


Nicky Bucsi

Nicole,
I am always here for you if you ever need me. Go on to college and show everyone you can do it. I'll come and visit you on weekends. It's your party time.
Your big bro, Tim

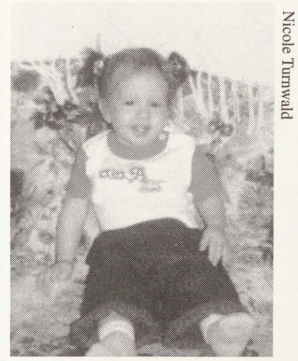
Jori Pacek

Jori,
Once an Indian always and Indian. We're so proud of you and your accomplishments.
Love Mom and Dad



Carissa Kukulis

Carissa,
You finally did it. Good luck in everything you do. Remember I'll always be here if you need me.
Love,
Craig

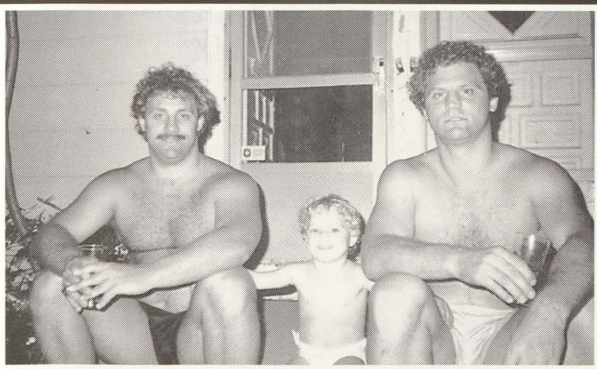


Nicole Turnwald

Nicole,
Congratulations! We are so proud of you. We know you'll succeed in whatever you do. Good luck at NMU.
We love you,
Dad, Mom & Troy

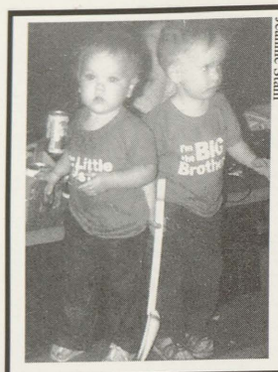
Marc Rehman

Marc
Follow your dreams. Thanks for making us proud.
-Love-
Mom and Dad



Paul Tithof

Nice shorts fellas!
Ditch the diapers...you're one of the big boys now Paul. Good luck and congratulations son! We love you and are very proud of you.
Mom and Dad



Jeannie Stam

Jeannie,
Have fun in everything you do sis.
Love, Chris

Renee Hernandez

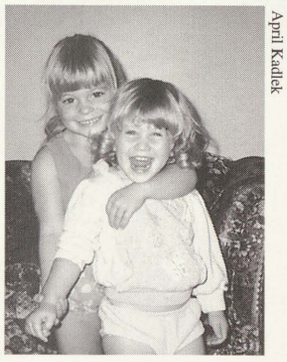
Dios te Bendiga Mija
To our baby cheeks ,
We are very proud of you. We wish you the best of luck at whatever you do.
Love ya, Mom and Dad

Paul Tithof

Paul,
You did it ya bum!
We love you very much.
Good luck and congratulations.
Love,
Chad, Kendra and Oli

Sara Moss

We knew you could do it!
Love Dad, Mom and Jack



April Kadlek

Congratulations April! Don't forget all the fun times you and the girls had. We are very proud of you. Good luck in college. Love, Uncle Rick, Aunt Dawn, Amber and Rachel.

Heather Prince

Heather (Tina), California was a blast, especially the trips to Mexico! Good luck in the future.
Love, Kristin (Kina)

Mary Schneider

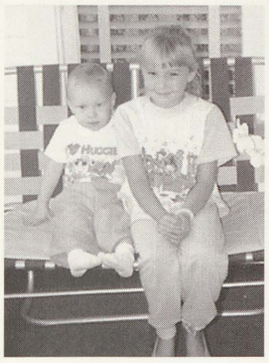
Woo-woo,
Mary Anna Banana! You can always count on us to be as goofy, original and fun as we know you are.
Kisses & Hugs, Wee-wee, Sassy and Sha-lene

Alyssa Emmendorfer

Alyssa,
You'll always be a star to me!
Love,
Mom

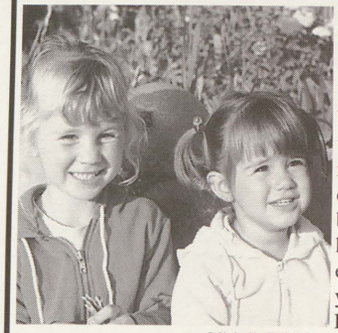
Joe Stroup

Our special Christmas present grew up way too fast! Good luck at Delta.
We love you,
Mom and Dad



Brynn Call

Brynn,
Rocking through the years has been great. Good luck in college. I love you!
Love always,
Brittney

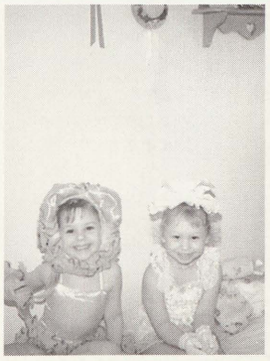


Michelle Zajdlik

Michelle,
What would I do without you? You have always been there for me whenever I've needed you. I couldn't ask for a better sister. The house will be so empty without you.
Lots of luck and love, Jess

Angela Birchmeier

Angela,
Remember this: "We're going to catch you!" Well, just wanted to say that we are proud of you no matter what you do.
Good luck at Michigan State!
Love,
Mom and Dad

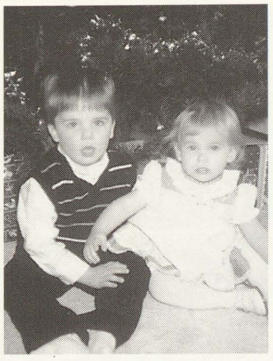


Jessie Bates

Cuz,
Can you believe it, we're seniors! I remember we never thought this day would come. We've always had our ups and downs, kinda like sisters. And like a sister you can always count on me.
-Kelly

Mary Hughes

Congratulations Princess! Keep writing and dreaming of castles, princes, and faeries. We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments.
Love, Mom and Dad



Jacob Righi

You are the best big brother a sister could possibly have. I'm so proud of you and wish you the best of luck.
Love You,
Jenna

Paul Tithof

Paul,
Congratulations! Good luck at college. We love you so much, and we are so very proud of you.

Casey,
Michael, and
Sophie

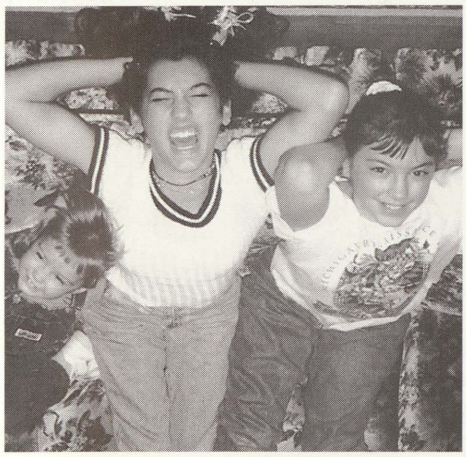
Greg Reeves

Out of the bucket and into the cockpit, we are with you all the way. We can't wait until our first plane ride with you!

Mom and Dad

Kerissa Shindorf, Becky Thiel, Anna Brown, Elyse Stickel,Hannah McDougall

Congratulations Girls!
Remember, a big part of being successful is knowing when to stop and play!



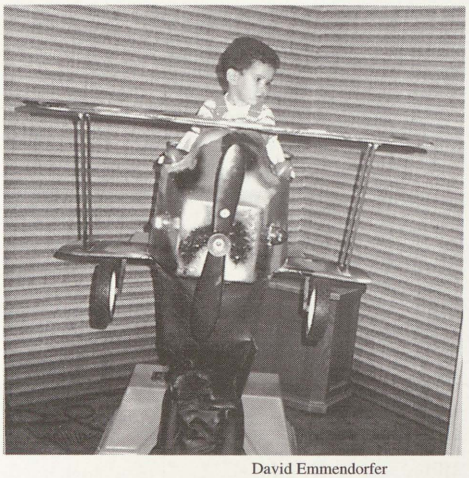
Alyssa Emmendorfer

Alyssa,
First Erica left for college and now it will be you! I'll be lonesome without our Up-Side-Down Crew!
Love Nelle

Michelle Agnew

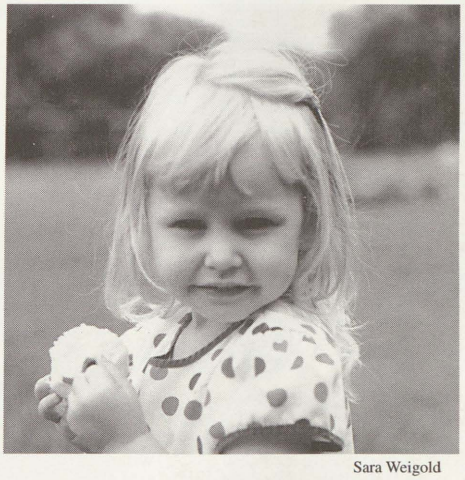
Michelle,
Always keep that "little sparkle" in your life!

Love,
Mom and Dad



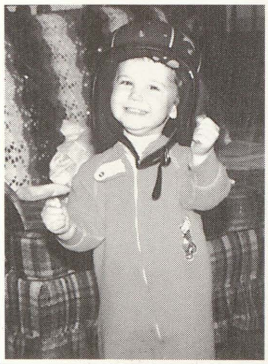
David Emmendorfer

Dave,
You've always wanted to fly.
Congratulations on your acceptance in Western's College of Aviation!
Love, Mom and Dad



Sara Weigold

Sara
You will always be the apple of our eye, our sweet little girl. We wish for you the best life has to bring.
Love, Mom and Dad



Brad Illiknan

Brad,
Keep the goals you have rev'd up. You are on the right track for success. We are very proud of you.
We Love You
Mom and Dad

Alicia Adams, 9
Amber Adams, 11
Kevin Adams, 9
Hollie Adelberg, 10
Robert Adelberg, 11
Cory Agnew, 11
Justin Albritton, 9

Tyler Alden, 11
Jenny Aldrich, 10
Terry Aldrich, 11
Allison Alexander, 10
Megan Allison, 11
Nicole Ambrose, 10
Cameron Amman, 9

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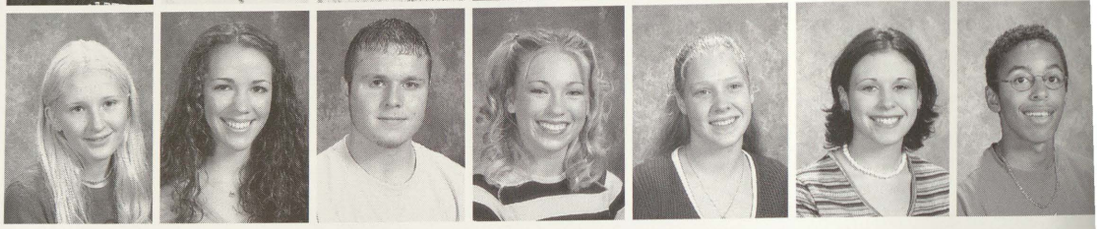


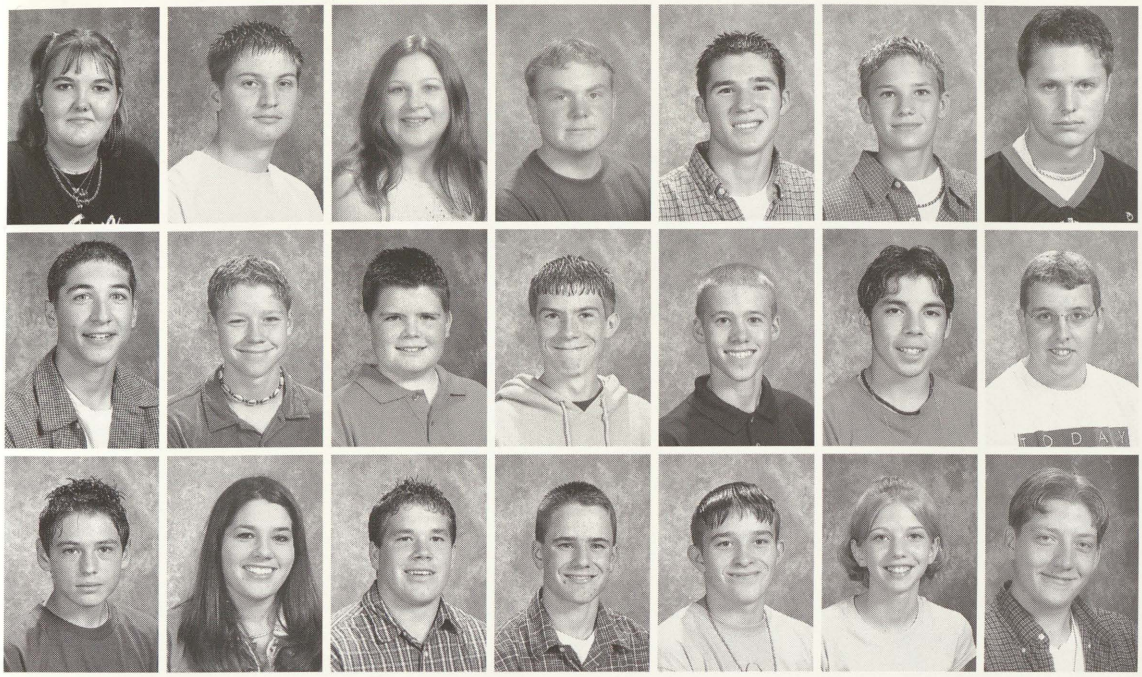
Russ Dones

We're gonna keep on, keep on, keep on dancin'

All Through The Night

-Citizen

AND THE WINNER IS.. The Brady Bunch group consisted of Annie Weisenberger, Brain Fieldbrandt, Kylee Kunik, Ben Shook, Paul Tithof, and Kellie Weisenberger. They wore beaded outfits with sequins that Annie's mom made. Since they were the first place winners, the group received $125.00. "We practiced about three times a week for three weeks. At one of the practices, we even had a cookout," said Paul Tithof. "In order to choreograph the dance we basically watched the Brady Bunch movie and copied some of their moves. Then we made up this cool flip because we wanted to throw someone around. We tried to spice the dance up with some of our moves so that we just didn't copy the whole dance from the movie," said Kylee Kunik.



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Adam Baker, 11
Sheena Banghart, 11
Clayton Barancik, 9
Craig Barancik, 11
Paul Barancik, 9
Tracey Baryo, 11

Brandon Bassham, 10
Tyler Bates, 10
Alex Beckman, 9
Joshua Beckman, 10
Ryan Beckman, 11
Troy Beckman, 9
Nathan Beery, 11

Christopher Belanger, 9
Lyndy Beldyga, 11
Mitchell Beldyga, 9
Mitchell Bell, 10
Patrick Bemiss, 9
Connie Birchmeier, 9
Corey Birchmeier, 10

-Citizen

2 GE+HER...."We practiced a lot. Rachael Dewey and Jaclyn Macek helped us choreograph our dance. We watched some of their music videos and took some of their moves. We each portrayed one of the people from the group. I was disappointed that we didn't place, because we worked really hard, but there were some good groups there. I think it went well overall," said Rich Price. The other band members included Travis Haughton, Eric Bolf, T.J.Aldrich, and Tom Ebenhoeh. Once again, tickets for the Mock Rock performance sold out. "Mock Rock is one of the biggest events that we put together during the year. It is a tradition here and almost everyone looks forward to it, so we try and make it a little different every year to keep people interested," said Mary Schneider.

BYE BYE BYE.. Russ Dones performs to *Bye Bye Bye* by N'Sync. The group also included Fred Priest, Noah Richardson, Robert Renee, and Sercan Demirtas."We took fourth place and I personally think that we got gypped, but that's okay, because all of the ladies loved us," said Russ Dones.

-Citizen

Q&A

If you could live anywhere in the world where would it be?

"I want to live in California, because I want to be one of those surfer girls."
Jori Pacek-12

"Out in the country side of England, right by London. Scotland and Ireland too."
Tom Ebenhoeh-11

"I would live in Florida, because it's warm and there is lots of stuff to do there."
Dean Evans-10

"I would like to live in the rainforest, so that I could make friends with all of the jungle animals."
Lindsay Lea-11

"If I could live anywhere it would be Delaware. No one lives there so I could just own the state for myself."
Chad Soukup-12

Jonathan Bishop, 11
Brandi Bitterman, 11
Bryan Bitterman, 11
Kaye Bitterman, 10
Kristi Bitterman, 10
Melissa Bitterman, 11
Brandi Blakeslee, 11

Jennifer Blakeslee, 11
Tyler Blakeslee, 10
Andrew Bleisner, 10
Adam Bliss, 10
Kristan Bocek, 9
Sarah Bocek, 10
Adam Bolf, 10

Alexandra Bovee, 11
Stephanie Brabant, 10
Brandon Brainerd, 10
Alyssa Braley, 9
Seth Brandes, 9
Rachel Brasfield, 9
Matthew Breier, 11

Brent Brettrager, 11
Joshua Brettrager, 9
Patricia Brian, 10
Christopher Briggs, 11
Anna Brown, 11
Matthew Brown, 10
Marie Brownell, 10

Stephen Bublitz, 11
Shawn Bueche, 11
Brandon Burdick, 10
Jonathon Burford, 9
Sherry Burford, 10
Sarah Cacciola, 9
Nelson Call, 9

Nicole Call, 11
Brooke Cannon, 11
Christina Cannon, 10
Rebecca Card, 10
Heather Carpenter, 10
Amanda Carroll, 11
April Carstensen, 11

Jodi Cassidy, 11
Angela Chernow, 10
Daniel Chernow, 11
Jalayna Chludil, 9
Jeremy Chrysler, 10
Justin Chrysler, 10
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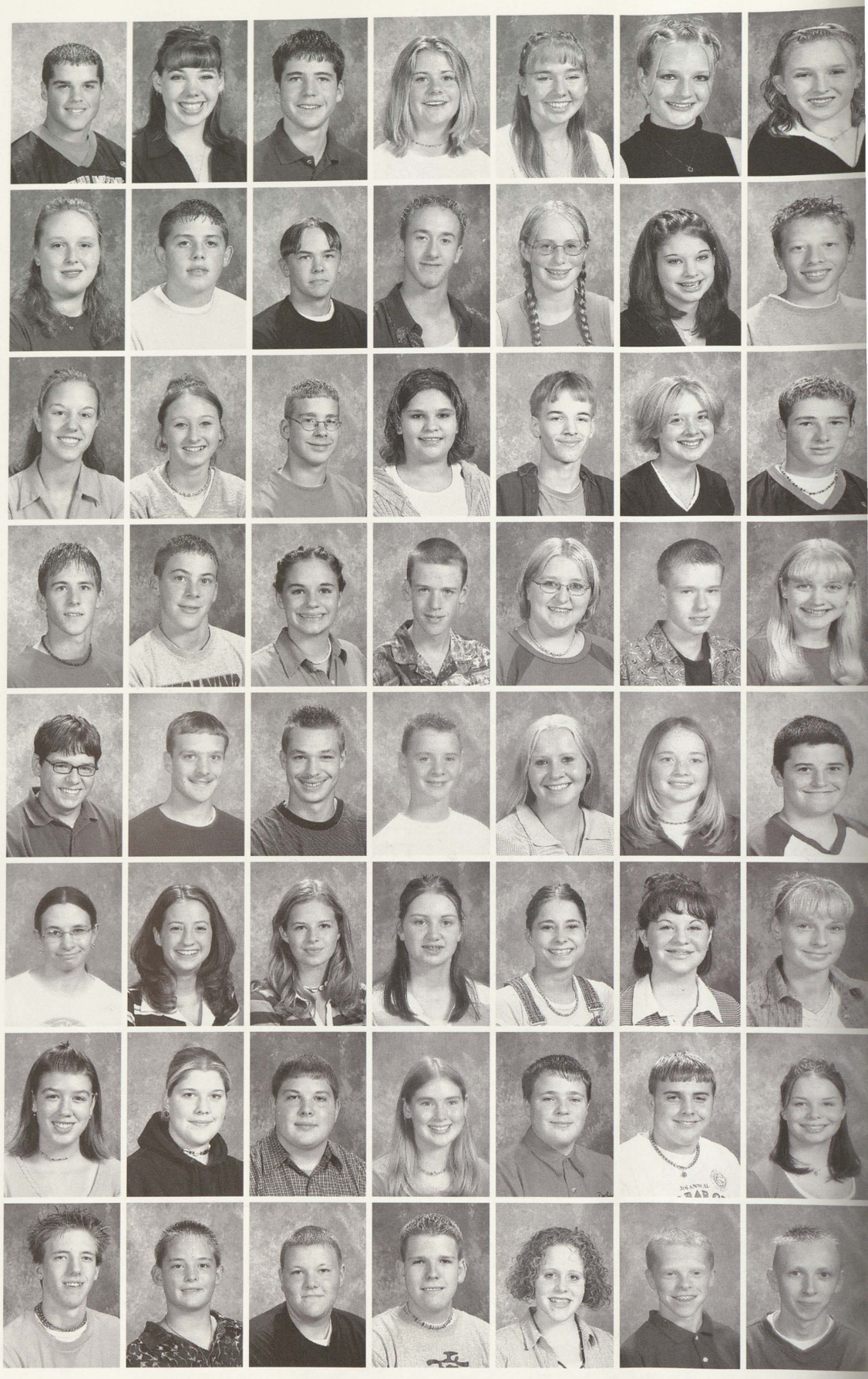

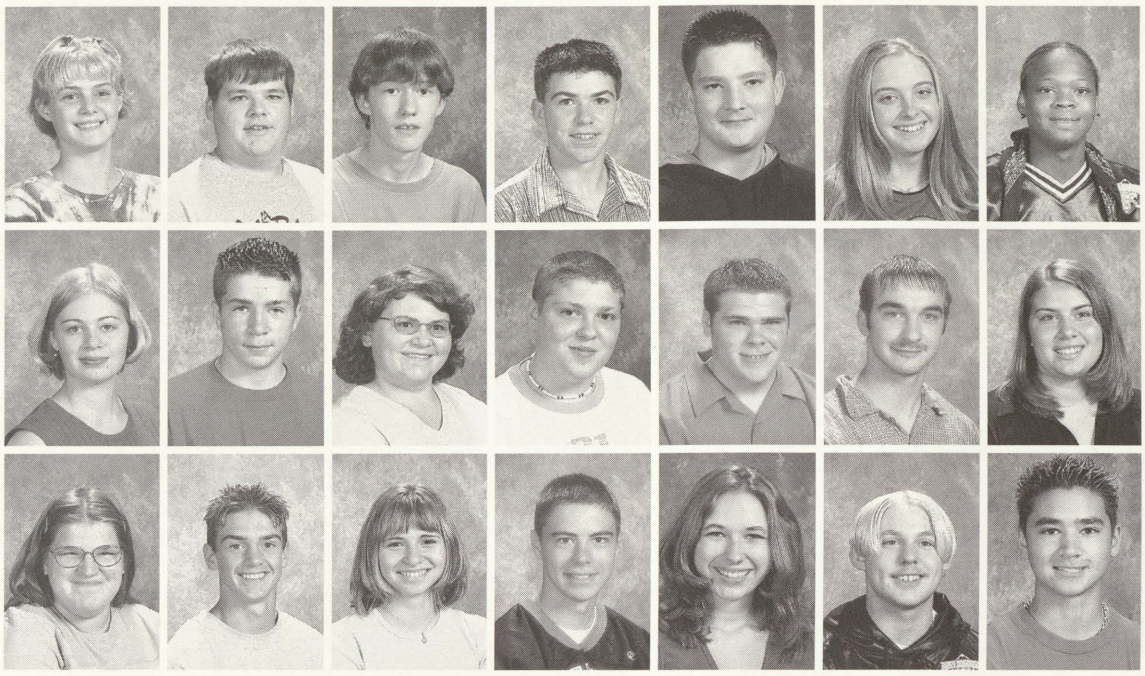

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Jay Cooper, 10
Blake Cottrill, 11
Michael Creed, 11
Heidi Cross, 10
Troy Daison, 11

Lisa Dangel, 10
Bradley Darling, 9
Elizabeth Darling, 10
Cory Delbridge, 9
Dustin Delbridge, 11
Mike Deming, 11
Ashley Denton, 10

Elizabeth Detwiler, 10
Bradley Devereaux, 9
Brooke Devereaux, 9
Jacob Devereaux, 11
Rachael Dewey, 11
Jeff Donaldson, 10
Russell Dones, 11

The students of Chesaning High School

Dare to Be Different

-J. Stewart

SAY WHAT. Motivational speaker Keith Hawkins spent a day with the staff and students at CHS."Keith was really friendly to all of us. Whenever we asked him for advice on how to make our school better he gave us really good ideas. Keith wanted to try to get as many people involved and try and reach out to many different groups of people. By the end of the assembly it was obvious that his speech about being different and standing out appealed to many different students," said Brynn Call. The assembly also included a balloon popping game. "I thought that he told life the way that it really is up front," said Jonathon Bishop.

-J.Shaw

SIMON SAYS. Megan Luplow, Abby Nixon, Nicole Bucsi, Carrie Zervan, and the rest of the student body participated in Simon Says. "We first saw Keith at a leadership conference in St. Johns. We wanted to try and bring some speakers in and we saw how well he was received there, so we decided to try and get him. He was originally supposed to come in October, but because of all the terrorists acts it had to be moved back," said student council advisor Mrs.Dewey

Top Ten

2001 Movies

1) Shrek

2) American Pie 2

3) The Fast and The Furious

4) Pearl Harbor

5) Rush Hour 2

6) Legally Blonde

7) Hannibal

8) Princess Diaries

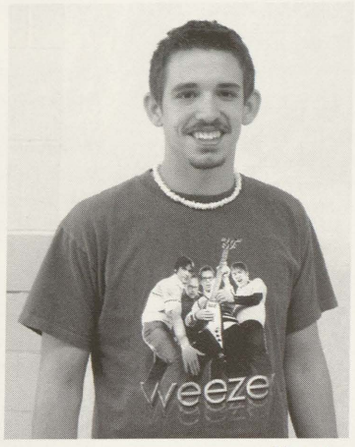
9) Planet of the Apes

10) The Mummy Returns

Students clothes show that they are

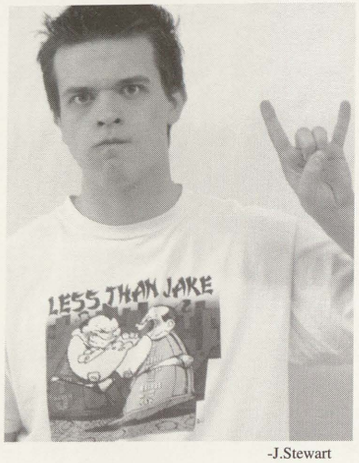
Feelin' the Music

Johnny Thomas



-J.Stewart

ROCK STEADY... Jeremy Schneider went to Wing Stadium in Kalamazoo with his girlfriend to see Weezer. Jeremy said, "We had seats right next to the stage."



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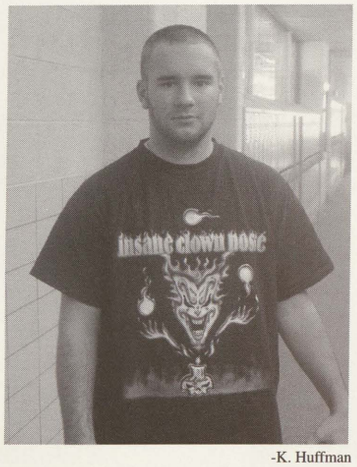
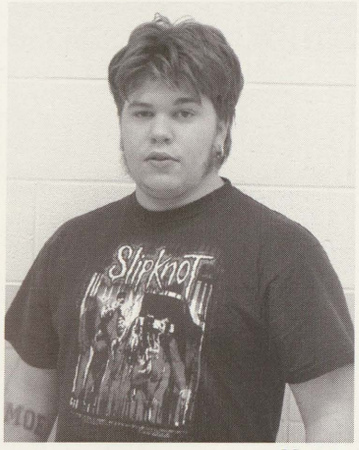
MORE THAN COOL... "The crowd was really energetic," said Mark Roebuck about the Less Than Jake concert. "It was at a club called the Clutch Cargos. It was cool because it was a small place."



-K. Huffman

ICP FANATIC...Paul Bissonnette stops to pose for a picture with his Insane Clown Posie shirt. "ICP concerts are always pure pandemonium," said Paul.



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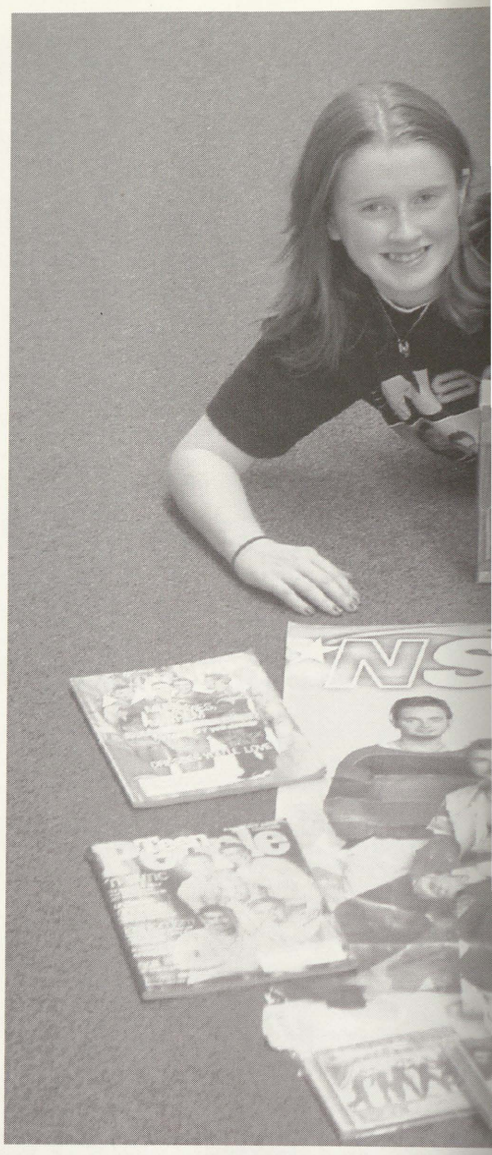
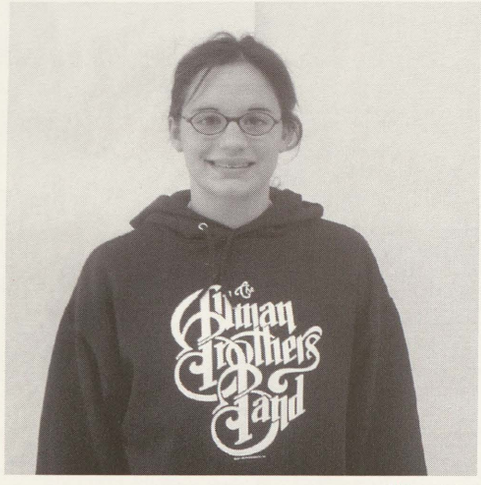
WAIT AND BLEED... Mozis O'Dell is a fan of Slipknot. "I saw Slipknot a couple of years ago, before they really got big," said Mozis.



OUT WITH THE NEW AND IN WITH THE OLD... This summer Trisha Brian went to the DTE Energy Music Theatre to see the Allman Brothers Band. "My parents got me interested in the older music. At the concert there were a lot of hippies with tie-dyed clothes and dreadlocks. They all looked like they were in their 30s and 40s. I was definitely one of the youngest people there. I still listen to my dad's CDs," said Trisha



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DUSK IN HER AND HER EMBRACE...Maggie Hayatt bought her Cradle of Filth shirt at a Hot Topic in Ohio. She hasn't been to any of their concerts yet, because she would like to wait untill she is 25. "Small stadiums are very dangerous and mosh pits hurt," said Maggie.

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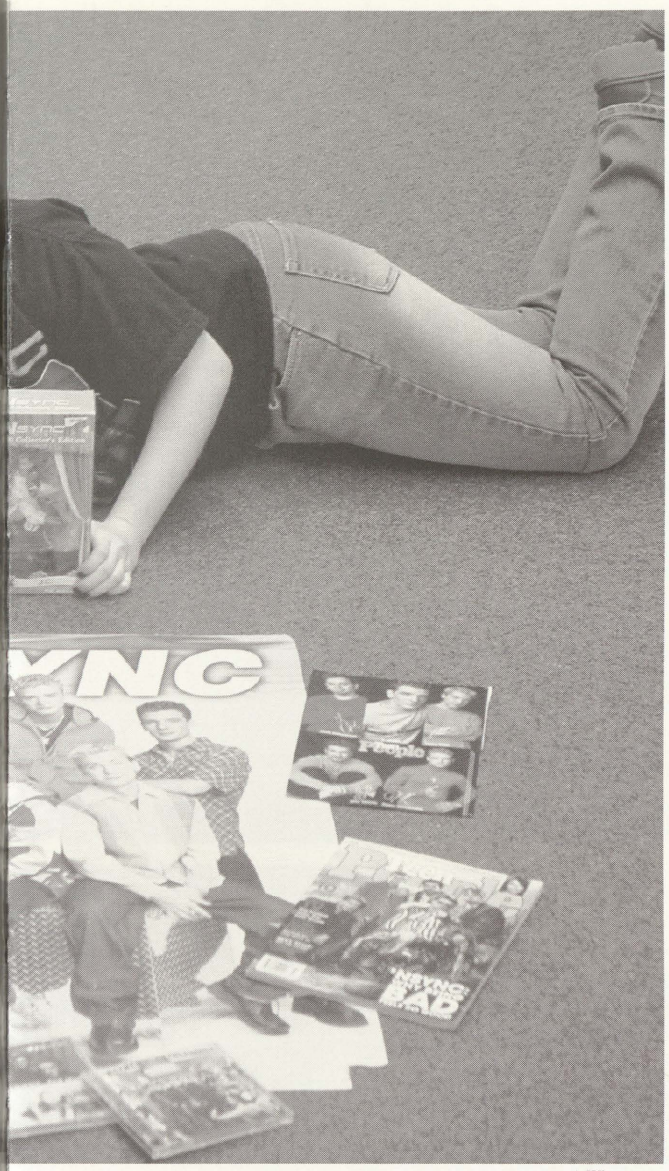
NSYNC
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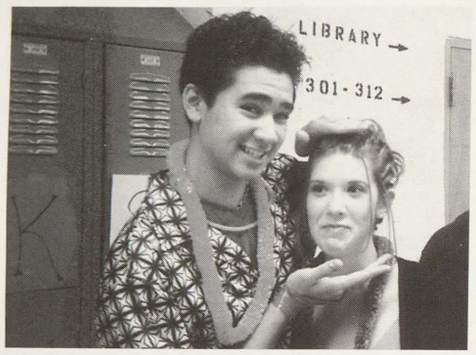
BOX OUT... Russ Dones and Erica Shuster are practicing their modeling skills."I thought Erica should be in Vogue so I was helping her practice. I don't think she agreed with me though. I really like my hair in this picture," said Russ.



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WE'RE LIKE TWINS... Danielle Angst and Terra Mongeon dressed alike for the dance. " We were shopping together at the mall and we saw these outfits that only cost one dollar. We decided to buy them and wear them to the dance," said Danielle.

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PRETTY IN PINK... Tiffany Witt, Rachael Dewey, Katrina Stoll, Shatha Zuraigat, Stacy Lorencz, and Crystal Gross stop to pose for a picture. "I met this guy and when I asked him what his name was he told me that I might know him by his car. He said it was a green Mustang with a lime green racing stripe. I told him that he might know me by my car. It is a four door blue Neon," said Rachael.

ALL DECKED OUT... The theme for the dance was Hawaiian, so Jennifer Anderson dressed up in some of her Hawaiian apparel. This was the first time that we had a multi-school dance. The other schools that attended were St. Charles, Ovid-Elsie, and New Lothrop. About 425 students attended the dance and over half of them were from CHS. "The other schools loved it and they had a lot of positive comments about it," said Mrs. Dewey

Andy Morse

Top Ten

Best Animated Couple

1) Shrek and Fionna

2) Beauty and The Beast

3) Simba and Nala

4) Prince Charming and Cinderella

5) Popeye and Olive Oil

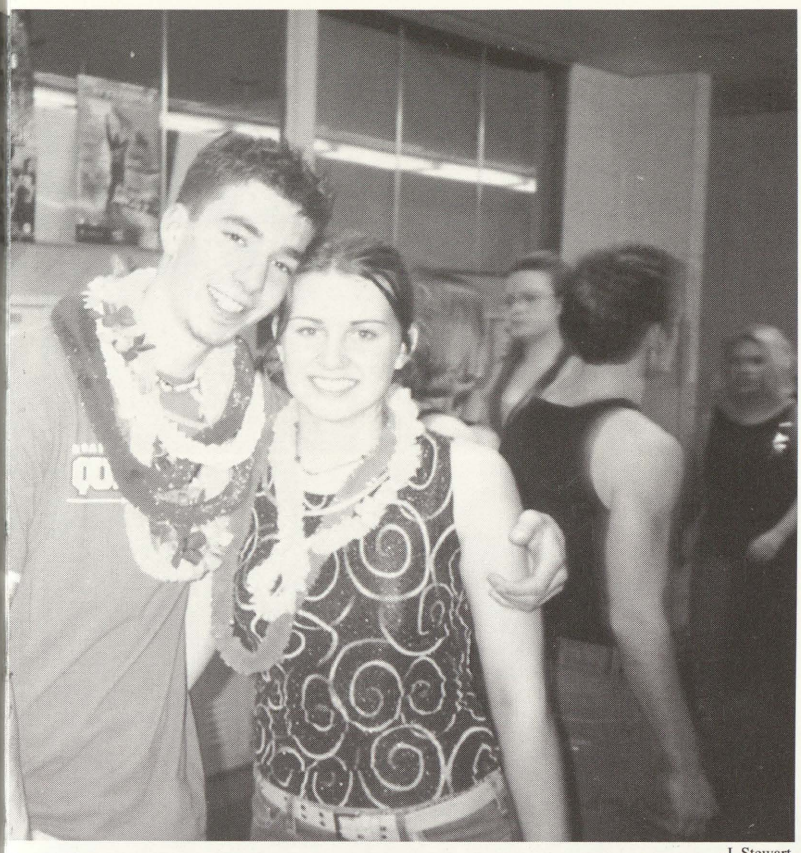
6) Woody and BoPeep

7) Little Mermaid and Prince Eric

8) Pocahontas and John Smith

9) Lady and The Tramp

10) Aladdin and Jasmin



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SAY CHEESE...Steve Hunt and Rebecca Card attended the dance. "It was a lot of fun and I hope that they have another one."The dance had a video D.J. that took pictures of people and put them up on the big screen throughout the dance," said Becki. Steve said, "It was fun to go to. I had a really fun time with my girlfriend."

SMILE PRETTY... Jeff Hudecek took a minute to pose for a picture with his girlfriend. "I went to the dance with my girlfriend, Heather, who is from Owosso. I met her at work and we have been dating since the Shiawassee County Fair," said Jeff.

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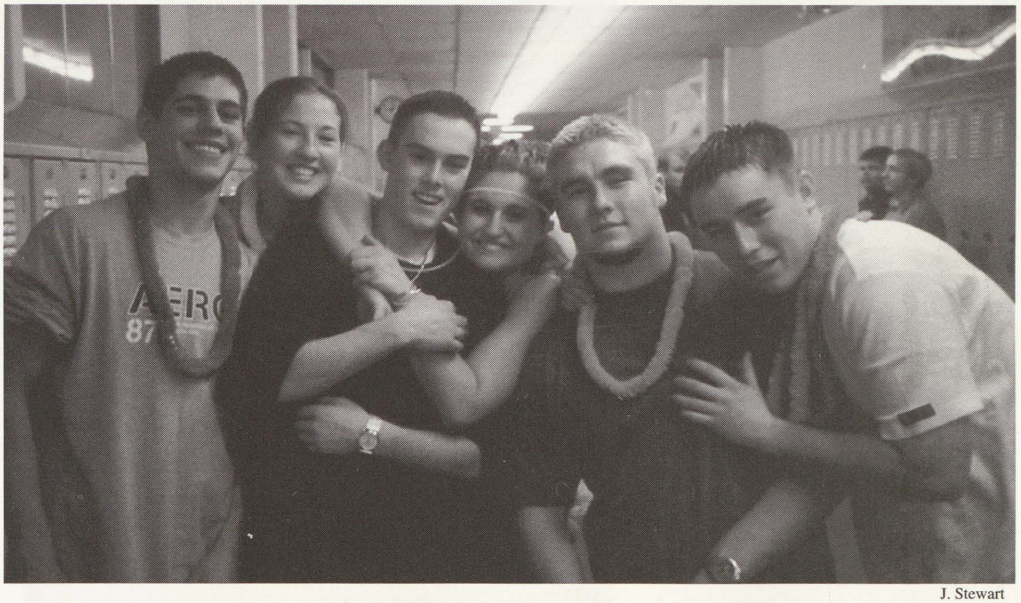
Four local schools came together to

Dance the Night Away



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JUST DANCE... "I thought it was cool. I met a lot of people from other schools," said Brent Conklin. Bobbie Keroson, Crystal Wirostek, Adam Joyce, Ashley Harris, Brent Conklin, and Josh Thiel stopped for a quick picture. "We were all just having a good time. I think we should have multi school dances more often," said Adam. Ashley said, "The combined dance was really fun. I met this really hot guy from St.Charles."

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Matthew Ferry, 11
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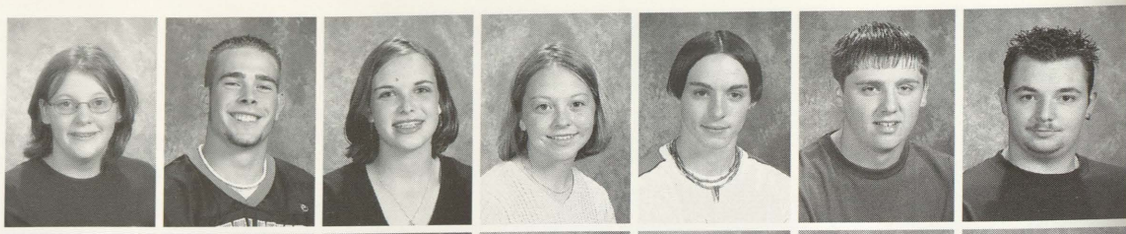
Anthony Fish, 10
Richard Fish, 9
Josh Fisher, 11



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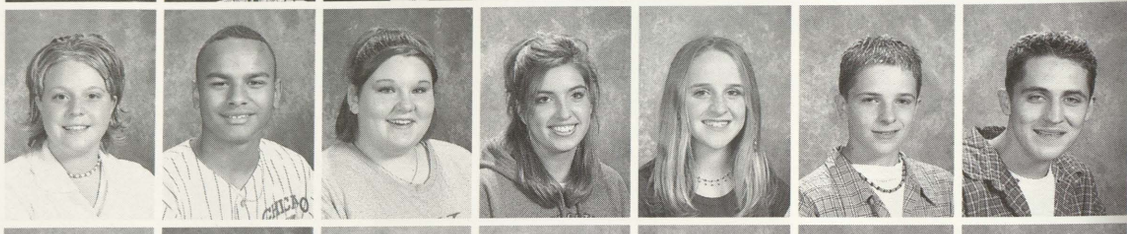

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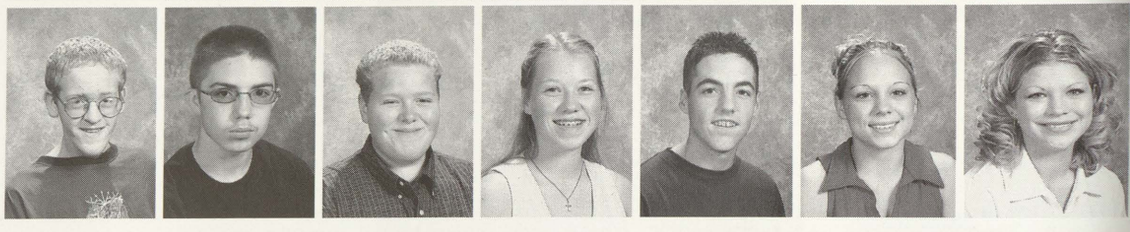


Dave Praefke

Q&A

What is your favorite animal?

"I like tigers because they are cool and big. They can kick butt."
Chris Barancik-12

"My favorite animal is a unicorn because they are unique."
Samanth Jeffers-10

"My favorite animal is a cheetah because they are really fast."
Meghan Strachota-9

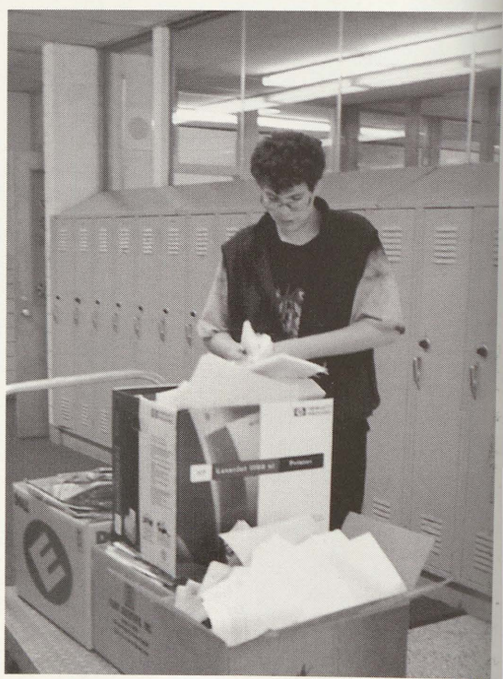
"My favorite animal is a turtle because they are cute."
Rachel Brasfield-9

Students who care are

Making a Difference

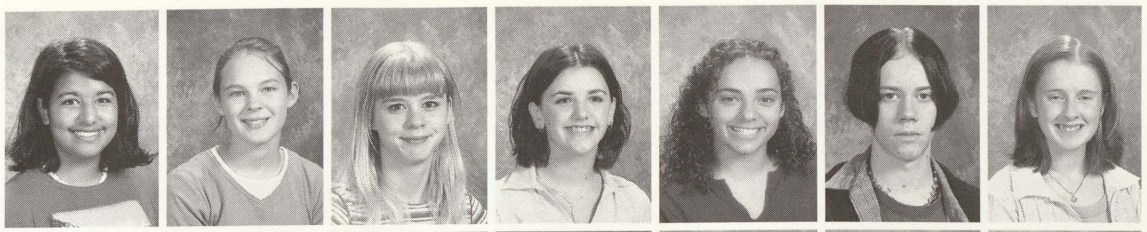
-J.Bates

CHOP CHOP... Jessica Bates had ten inches cut off of her hair for Locks of Love this fall. The hair is sent to make wigs for people with cancer. "When she cut off the ponytail I held my breath because it was really scary. Afterwards, when they made me hold the ponytail I thought it was weird because I was holding my own hair," said Jessie.



-J.Shaw

RECYCLE... Jeremiah Hattendorf is tying to keep the environment clean by recycling products at school. Jeremiah collects recycling daily from classrooms. He sorts everything in Mrs. Boswell's room and he gets his boxes from the kitchen.



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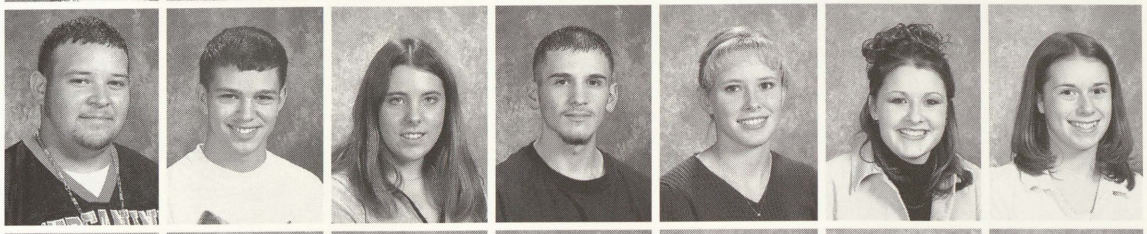

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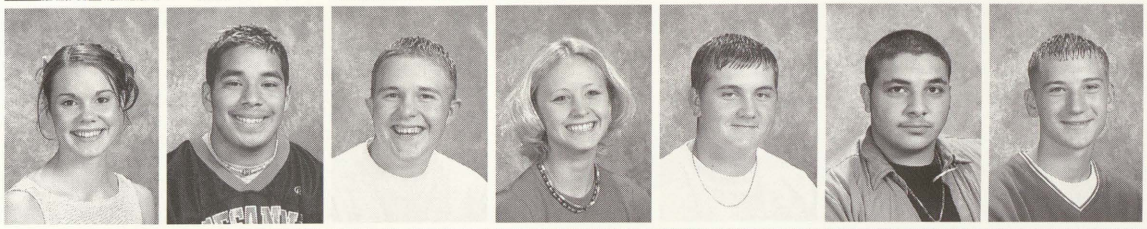

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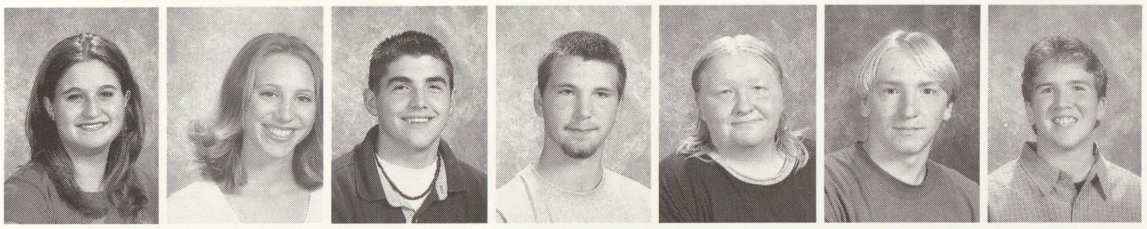

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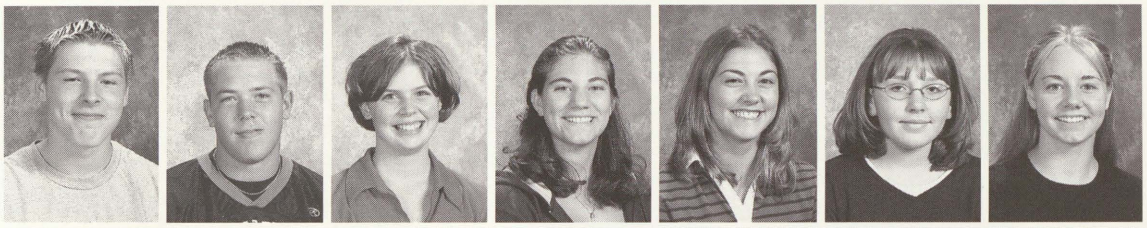

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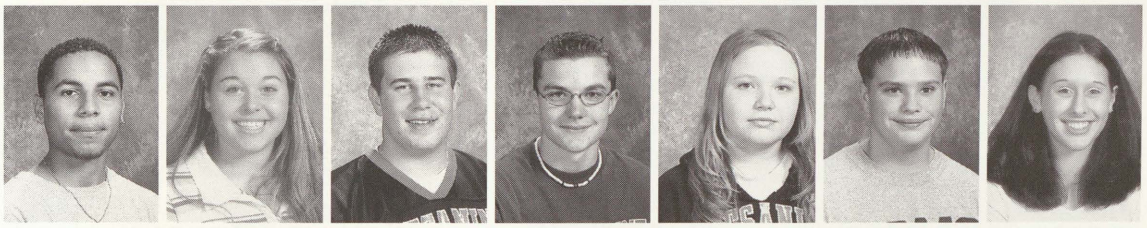

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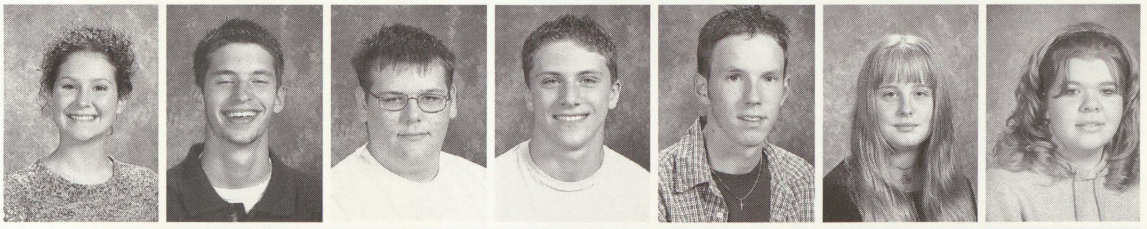

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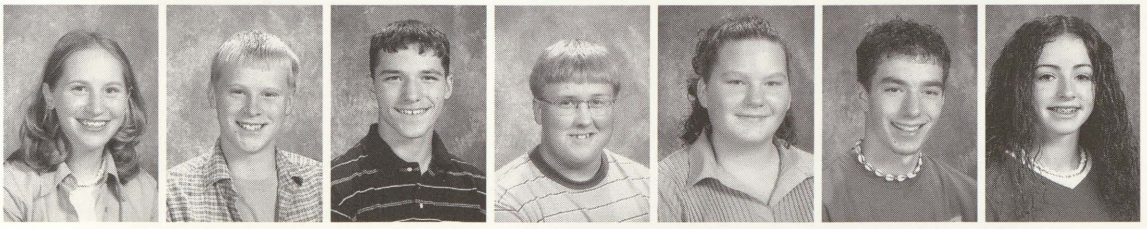

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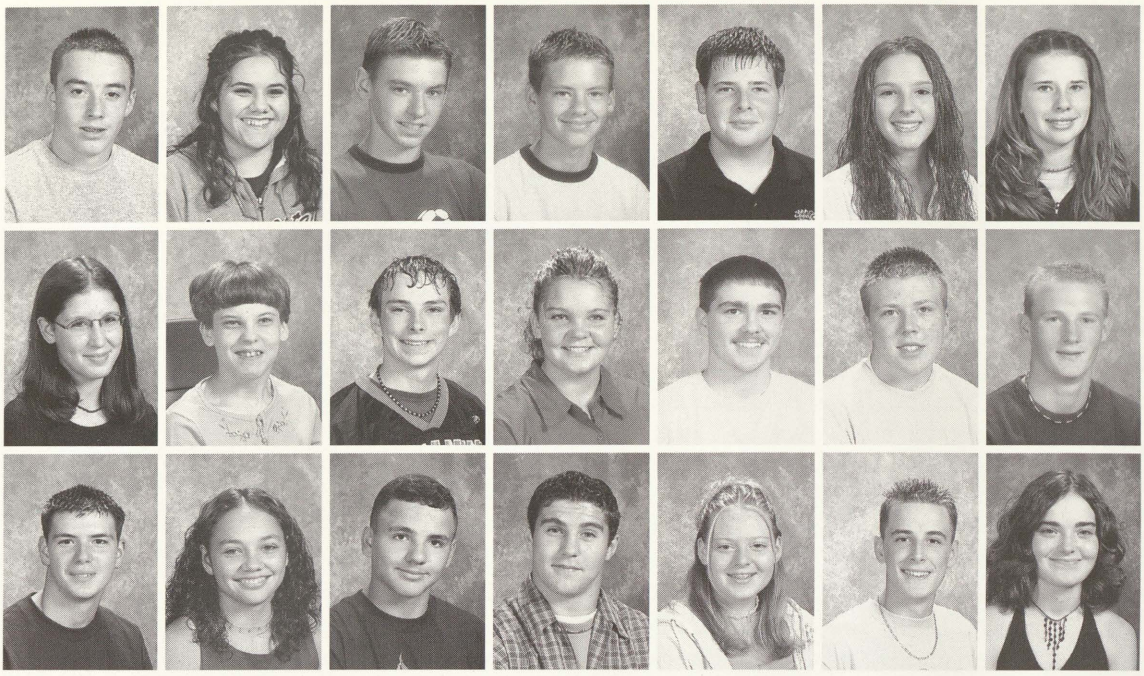

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The Rotary Youth Exchange Program Sent Us

A Visitor From Japan

Every day CHS students come to school with about 700 familiar faces walking the hallways. Imagine traveling half way around the world, coming to an unfamiliar country, living with people that you have never met, and trying to fit in at a new school. For most of us this sounds like a nightmare, but Yoko Shoji can't think of a more exciting dream. Yoko traveled from her home in Japan to stay in the United States for about a year. She will be living with the Cassidy, Weigold, and Tarrant families. Yoko said that there are many differences between her school in Japan and CHS. Because she attended an all-girl private school, it took her a little while to get used to seeing guys during the school day. In Japan the students weren't allowed to wear make-up, paint their fingernails, or color their hair. Uniforms were also the required daily attire. During the fall Yoko was hooping it up with the varsity baketball squad. She participated in basketball at her old school and she really looked forward to playing it here.

PRETTY PRETTY PRINCESS... Yoko wore a traditional Japanese outfit for Pretty Pretty Princess Day during homecoming week.

-J.Shaw

Top Ten T.V. Shows

1) Friends
2) The Practice
3) That 70's Show
4) Fear Factor
5) Boston Public
6) Dark Angel
7) Real World
8) Will and Grace
9) Ally McBeal
10) Temptation Island

Jason Vollmer

Q&A

If you could change any school rule, what would it be and why?

"I really don't agree with the whole rule about the excused absences, especially for funerals and stuff because I think if one of your parents or close family members die there isn't anything that you can do about it and it should be an excused absence. The same thing should go with doctors appointments and stuff." Erica Shuster-12

"I would make it so you could eat in any hall and any room that you wanted to, any time of the day." Jeremy Wolverton-11

"I think that we should be able to wear hats in school." Brent Maike-10

"I don't think that we should suspend people for skipping because they already don't want to be in school anyway." Charlene Schneider-9

Charlene Schneider

Homecoming Began With the
Battle of the Classes

Homecoming Week is full of exciting activities, but one of the biggest of those is floatbuilding. Each class created their very own float.

The theme for Homecoming week was board games, so each class had a board game. Seniors had Monopoly; juniors, Clue; sophomores, Battleship; and freshmen, Guess Who? Students had about a month to work on their floats. There was a tie for first place between the seniors and the juniors. Sophomores won third place and freshman won fourth place.

The juniors used the different rooms in the Clue game to make their float. The freshmen had flip-up games pieces made out of wood with the football players faces on them and the sophomores made sinking ships for theirs.

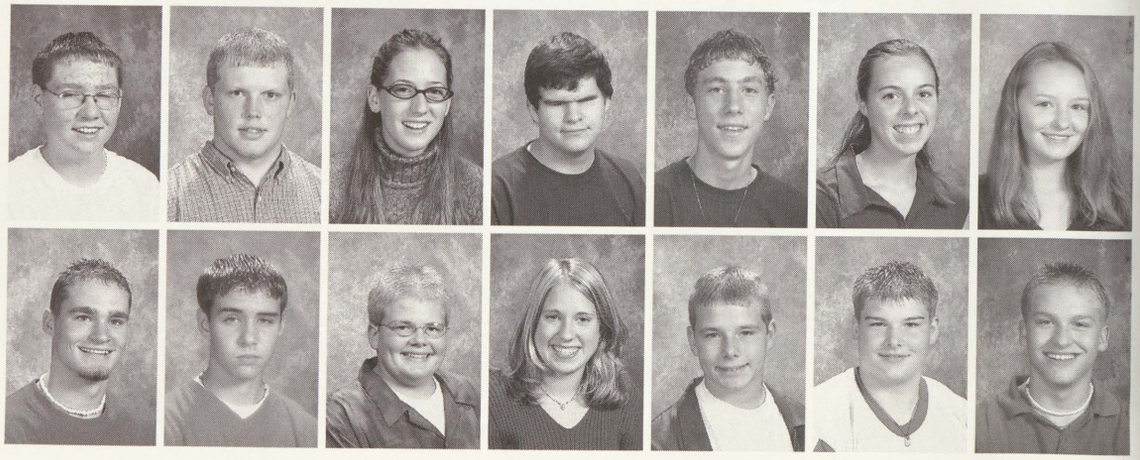
"Floatbuilding is a lot of fun and it is too bad that more students don't get involved. Not only do you get to know each other and have fun, but we always eat, and some of the students that don't know each other get to know each other at that time," said junior class advisor, Mrs. Soukup.

AND IN FIRST PLACE... The junior class tied for first place with the seniors in float building.

-J.Shaw

GUESS WHO?.. The Freshman float resembled the game Guess Who. They took fourth place overall.

B-2... DIRECT HIT... The Class or 2004 took third place overall in the competition with their float that resembled the game of Battleship.



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Julie Malcolm, 10
Andria Manser, 9

Cory Martin, 11
Joseph Martin, 9
Timothy Martin, 11
Trisha Martin, 10
Wesley Martin, 10
Andrew Marzluft, 9
Matthew Marzluft, 10

-J.Shaw

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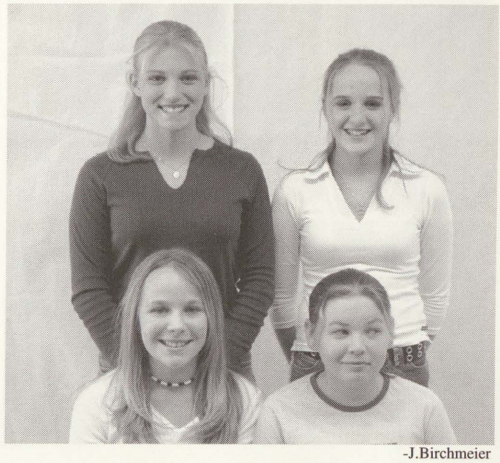
SOPHOMORES. The class officers include: President, Chelsea Vincke: Vice President, Sarah Wagner; Treasurer, Kaye Bitterman; and Secretary, Annette Kosin. The sophomore class advisor is Ms. Lenon."We have already done our fundraiser for this year and we sold candy and other food items. It wasn't very successful, but some people did sell some stuff. Hopefully next year it will be better. As a class officer I went to all of the float buildings, and I put a lot of time into doing stuff for our class. We have had a few meetings and we have discussed the Freshmen/Sophomore dance. I really try to get a lot of people involved," said Sarah Wagner.

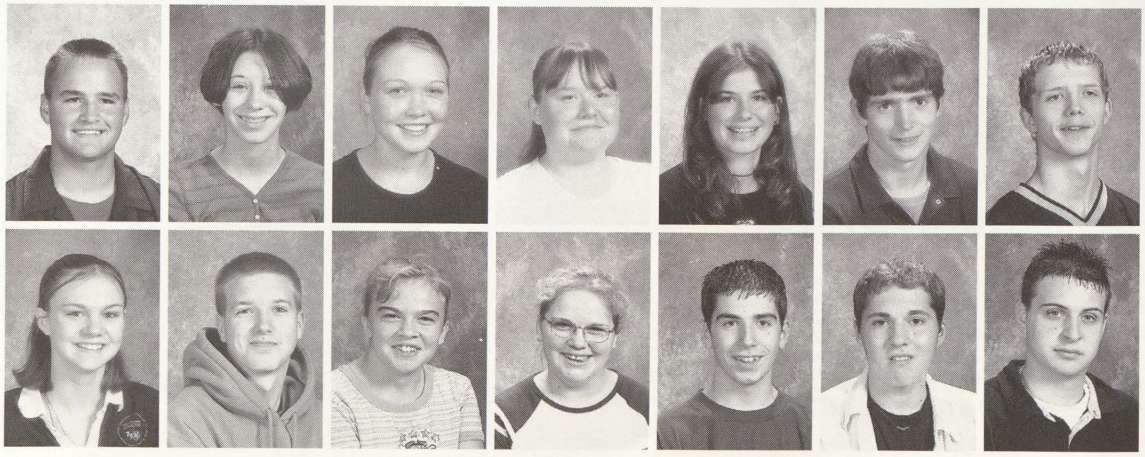


-J.Birchmeier

FRESHMEN. "I am really honored to be a class officer. I am trying to get all of my classmates involved in doing fundraisers and other activities like floatbuilding. We haven't had a fundraiser yet but we are planning on it,"said Chelsey Fry The freshman class officers include: President, Chelsey Fry; Vice President, Mallorie Vrable; Treasurer, Heather Wolverton; and Secretary, Savannah Rupple. The freshman class advisor is Ms. Duranleau. Each spring there are elections, and each candidate does a speech in front of their classmates. Then their classmates vote for them. Their term lasts for a whole school year, and then elections take place again for the following year.

-J.Birchmeier

JUNIORS. The junior class officers include: President, Rachael Dewey; Vice President, Carly Selleck; Treasurer, Kelly Amman; and Secretary, Jessica Stewart. The class advisors are Mrs. Soukup and Mr. Dewey. The class officers organize fundraisers and dances, such as Prom and the Freshman/ Sophomore dance. The class officers also take care of dues and the class finances. "We really try to get many members of our class involved in activites. We had a fundraiser that we just finished and we also sold magazines. Last year, as a fundraiser, we sold glow sticks but that didn't go over as well as we had thought. Hopefully the magazine sales did a little bit better," said Rachael Dewey.



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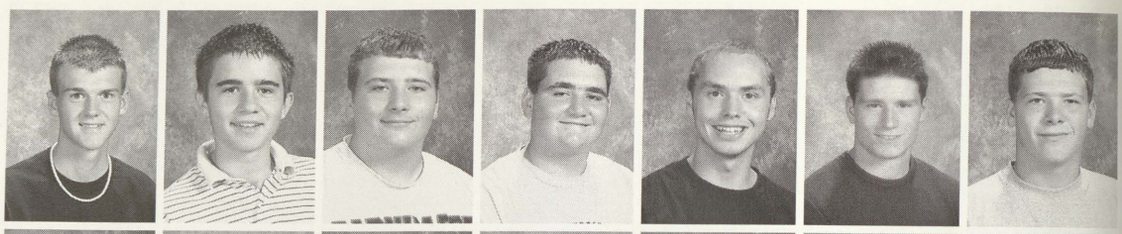

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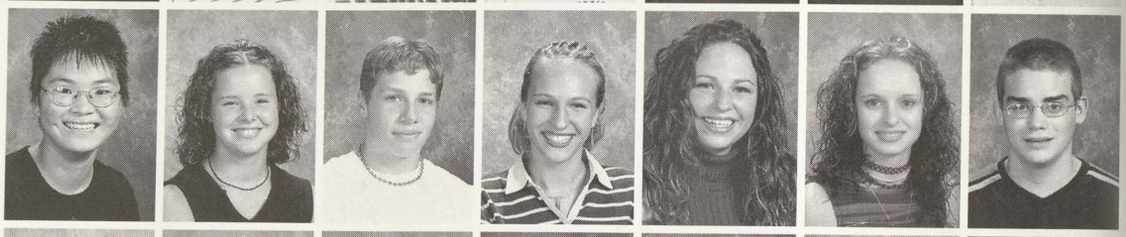

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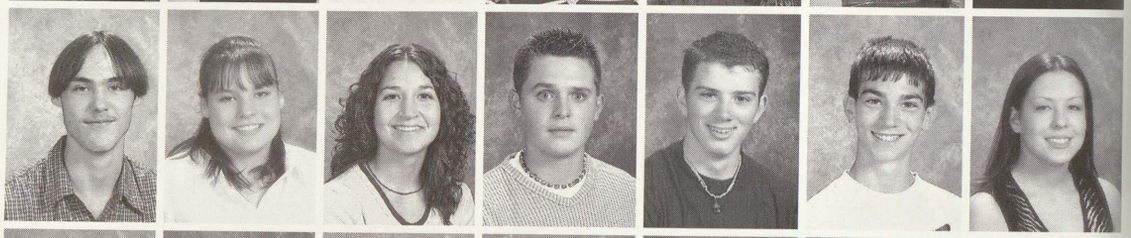

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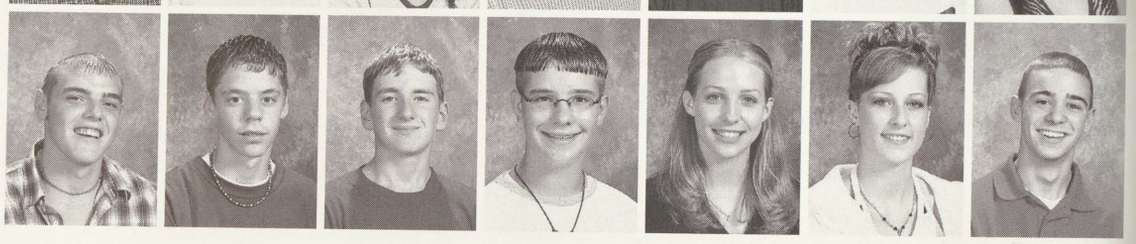
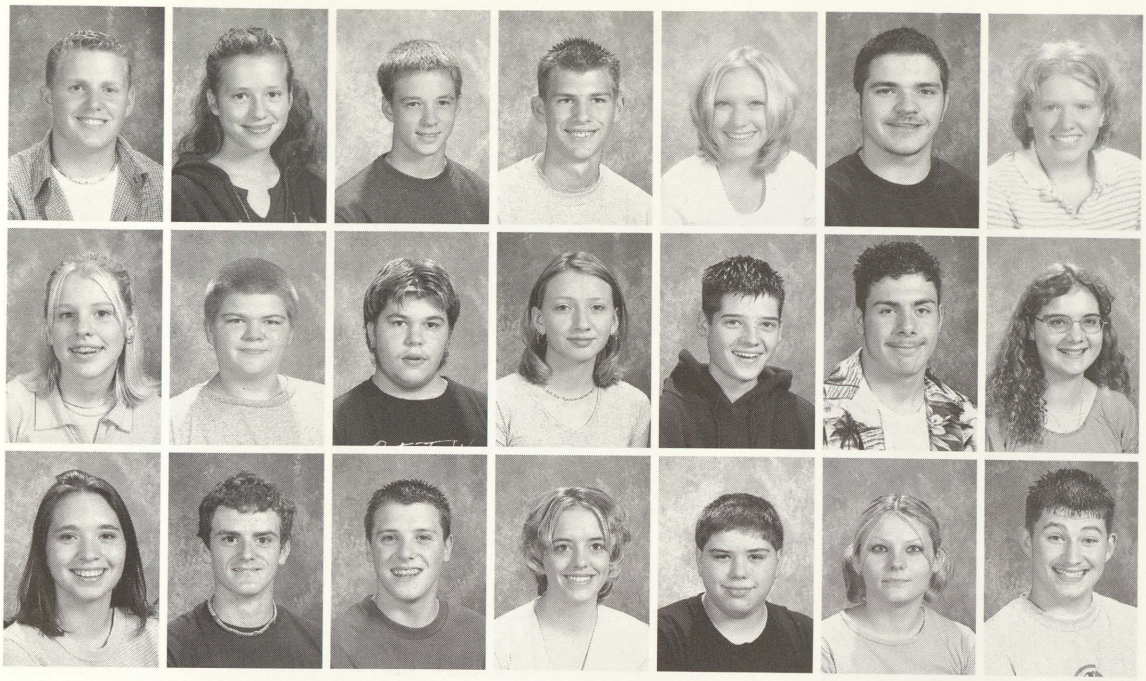


Cory Birchmeier

THE CROWNING MOMENT... Mr. Union was Josh Thiel. First runner up was Justin Maxa, and second runner up was Matt Ferry. First each contestant had to walk out while baby pictures, senior pictures, and other great shots were being played on the big screen. Then the contestants each had to anwer a question that they drew randomly. Some of the questions included, " If you could be a superhero who would you be and why?" "How would you spend a million dollars?" and "If you were stranded on a desert island who would you want to be there with you?" The other contestants included Zac Alden, Jacob Righi, Ricky DeLong, Justin Birchmeier, Rich Price, Chris Anderson, Paul Tithof, Randy Coole, Chris Barancik, Brandon Chryslerk, and Adam Joyce.

-A. Odenbaugh

MR . CONGENIALITY. Adam Joyce said, "My question was, if I could spend the day with someone famous who would it be. I said Bill Gates because I think that kind of stuff is cool," said Adam. "When Mary Schneider and Matt Ferry were walking across the stage, they weren't supposed to go because his picture was still up on the screen. They weren't suppose to walk in front of the screen, so Tricia Coole, the MC for the event, yelled into the microphone 'STOP,'" said Julie Esmer



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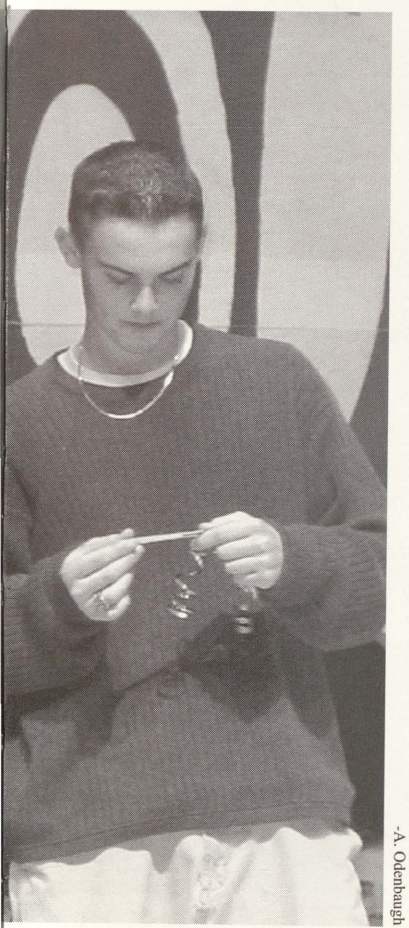
He's Beautiful, He's Grand, He's Our

Mr. Union Man



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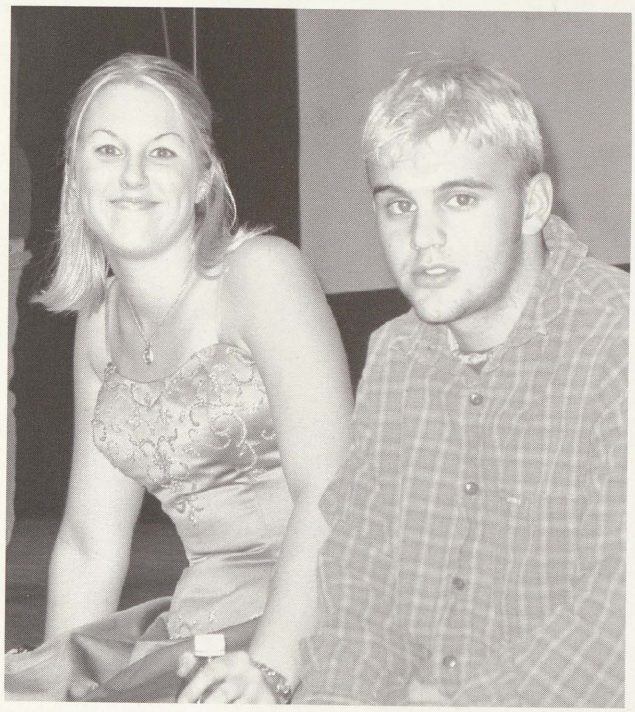

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TAKING A BREAK. Michelle Agnew and Brandon Chrysler have a seat back stage. "Justin Maxa's question was if he could be any superhero who would he be and why. He said, "I don't know if he is a superhero, but I would be the milkman because he fights osteoperosis, " said Cassie Reiber. The entire panel of judges were grandmas.

Top Ten

Favorite Pop

1) Mountain Dew

2) Pepsi

3) Coke

4) Dr. Pepper

5) Cherry Coke

6) Root Beer

7) Wild Cherry Pepsi

8) Diet Coke

9) Mr. Pibb

10) Sprite

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Kevin Parson, 10
Leah Parsons, 10
Cortlin Patterson, 11
William Perkins, 11
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Lisa Piwowarski, 11
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Jeffrey Poag, 10

Robert Pollock, 9
Jamie Potter, 10
Joslin Potter, 10
Laura Praefke, 11
Lucas(David) Praefke, 10
Malissa Priest, 9
Kristin Prince, 9

Stanley Puchacz, 9
Rachel Pullman, 9
Tommie Purdue, 9
Jennifer Pussehl, 11
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Jessie Reed, 10
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Jacob Richardson, 9
Jessica Richardson, 9
Whitney Richmond, 9
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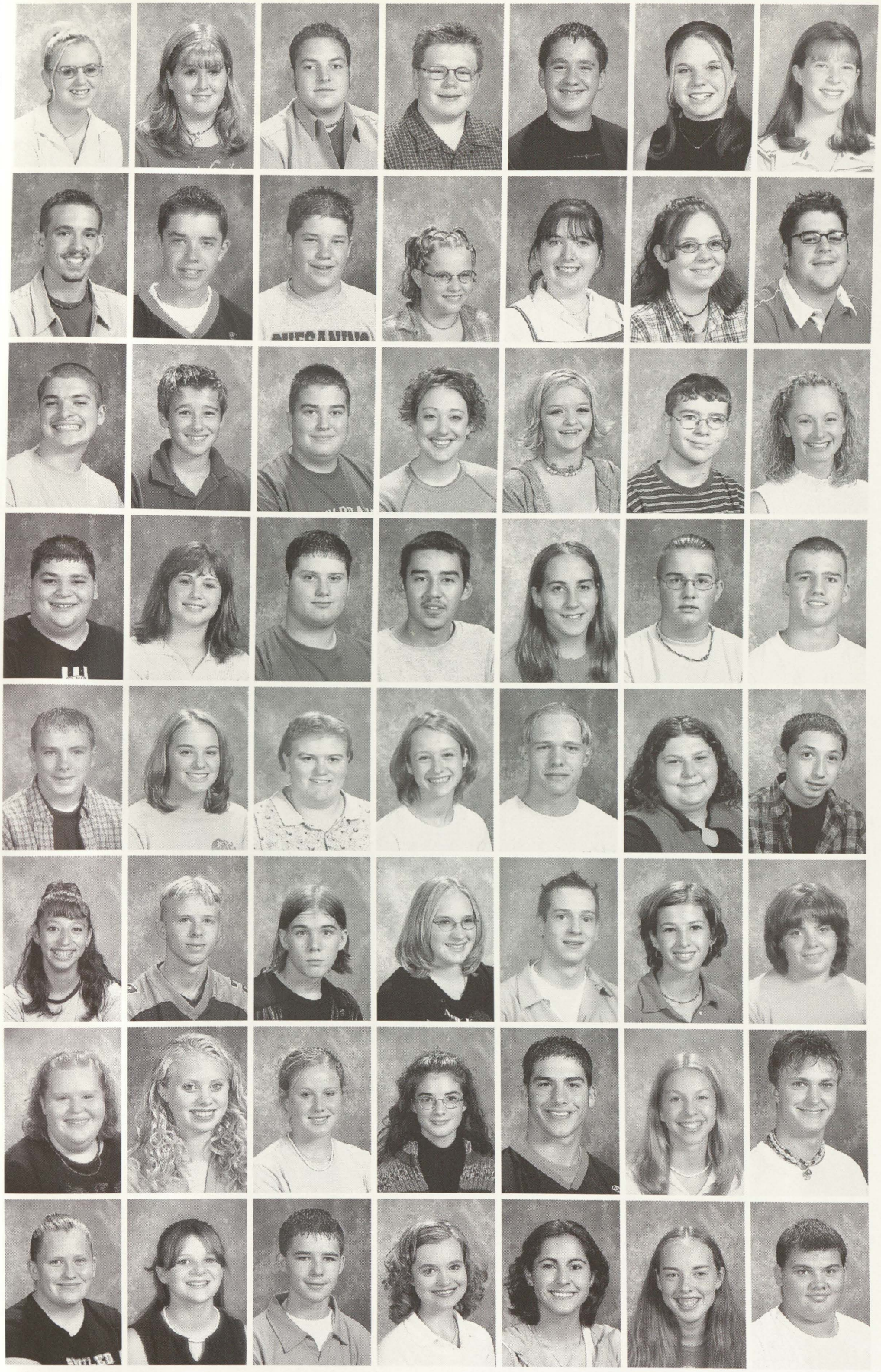

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Megan Smith, 10
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Cody Stutler, 11

Jennifer Sylvester, 10
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Heather Taphouse, 11
Sandra Tarrant, 9
Kasey Taylor, 10
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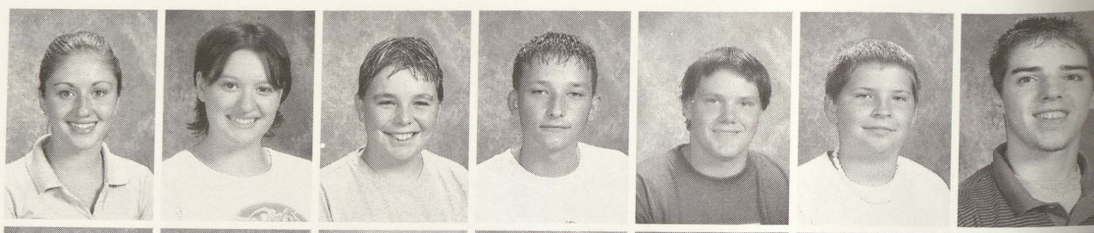

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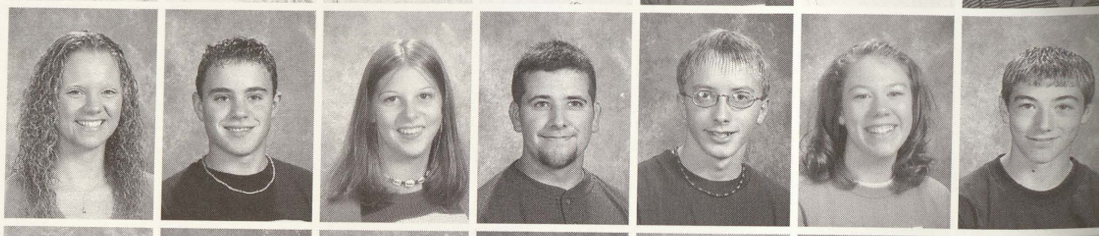

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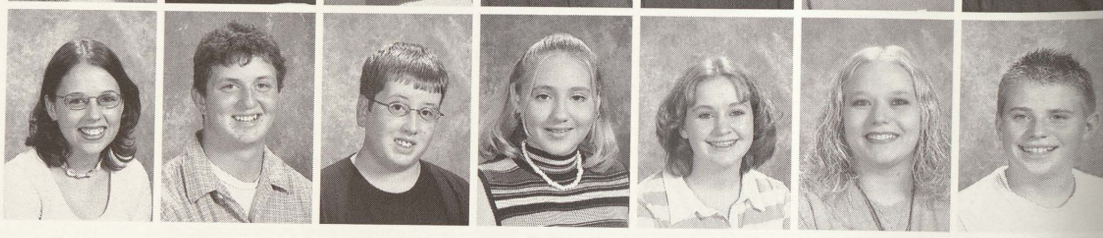

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Jessica Fluker

Q&A

What do you want to be when you grow up?

"I want to be an actress because they are rich and they make a lot of money."
Trish King-10

"A speech therapist because they don't have to work a lot of hours and they are really rich."
Jessie Reed-10

"A dental hygentist because I like teeth."
Teysha Gross-11

"I want to be an interior designer so I can express my ideas through my creativity."
Becki Card-10

Despite a Nearly Snowless December, Students Enjoye

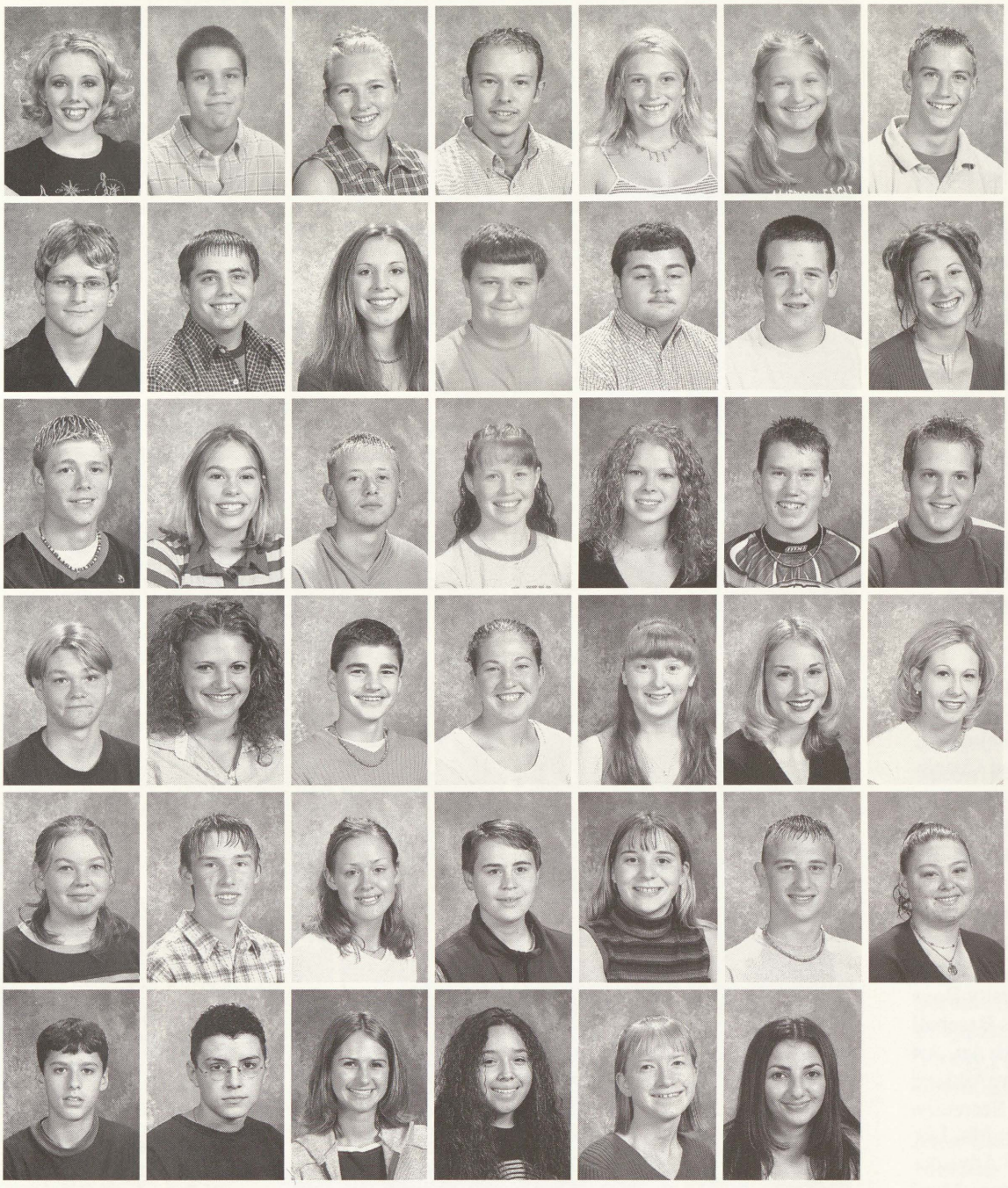
Happy Holidays

-J.Stewart

DESSERT ANYONE? Craig Barancik, Jason Lentz, Mark Jungerheld and Jacob Devereaux enjoy some cake at the holiday dinner. The staff at CHS served a holiday dinner for the student body. They served tasty turkey, pork, mashed potatoes, gravy, and stuffing.

HO HO HO... Justin Chrysler and Pat Thiel take a moment to talk to Santa (Dan Chernow). Another holiday that was celebrated at CHS was Halloween. The student council passed out candy, but in order to get it you had to go to the office and say "trick-or-treat".

-K.Huffman



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Mr. Dennis Baese, Social Studies, English, Academic Knowledge Bowl Advisor; **Mrs. Lynda Bell**, Media Specialist; **Mr. Joseph Bogar**, Social Studies, Freshman Football coach; **Mrs. Gail Boswell**, Special Education; **Mrs. Linda Birchmeier**, Central Office Secretary.

Mrs. Janice Bretall, Computers, Business; **Mrs. Pat Cassidy**, Office Secretary; **Mrs. Beverly Chapman**, Sign language, Math; **Mrs. Eileen Coon**, Custodian; **Mr.Robert Coon**, Science, Freshman Football Assistant Coach.

Ms. Sara Craig, Student Teacher; **Mrs. Renee Daniel**, Guidance Counselor; **Mrs. Deb Delong**, Special Education; **Mrs. Margy Dewey**, English, Student Council Advisor; **Mr. Michael Dewey**, Superintendent, 2003 Class Advisor.

Mrs. Kathleen Dickie, English; **Ms. Mischelle Duranleau**, Health, Life Skills, Art, Social Studies; **Mr. David Forsyth**, English, Varsity Volleyball Head Coach; **Mrs. Janet Galm**, Foreign Language, English, International Club Advisor; **Mr. Richard Goward**, Auto.

Mr. Raymond Guzy, Computers, Boys Track Coach; **Mrs. Cheryl Hahnenberg**, C.O.C. Advisor, Principal; **Mr. Tim Haist**, ALM, Social Studies, Varsity Boys Basketball Coach, Varsity Boys Baseball Coach; **Ms. Verna Hautamaki**, Art, Art Club Advisor; **Mrs. Pat Hemker**, Athletic Office Secretary.
Mr. Donald Hoggard, Science; **Ms. Liz Homberg**, Social Studies, NHS Advisor; **Ms. Andrea Horton**, Student Teacher; **Mrs. Brenda Hudecek**, Cafeteria; **Mrs. Charlotte Hughes**, Special Education, 2002 Class Advisor.

Mrs. Wanda John, Special Education; **Ms. Jamie Kapp**, Student teacher; **Mr Gerald Kovach**, Science, FFA Advisor; **Mrs. Diane Kuchar**, Cafeteria; **Mr. Linus Laskey**, Science, Golf Head Coach.

Mrs. Chris Mishler

Ms. Melyssa Lenon, Science, Math; **Mr. Darrell Marshall**, Math; **Mr. Paul Martin**, Math, Key Club Advisor, Student Support Group; **Mrs. Wynell McCall**, AV Coordinator; **Mr. Michael Messinger**, Social Studies.

Mrs. Rebecca Meyer, Guidance Office Secretary; **Mrs. Christine Mishler**, Media, English, Physical Education; **Mr. Gerald Molnar**, Guidance Counselor; **Mr. Jeff Murdoch**, English, C.A.P.A. Play Director; **Mr. John Quaderer**, Science, Health.

Mr. Robert Sager, School To Work Advisor, Athletic Director; **Mrs. Jamie Sanders**, Central Office Secretary; **Mrs. Sandy Schlachter**, Para-Pro; **Mr. Thomas Schlachter**, Assistant Principal; **Mrs. Kay Schneider**, Cafeteria.

Ms. Julie Shaw, English,Yearbook Advisor; **Mrs. Mary Shimek**, Business, Computers; **Mrs. Mary Beth Smith**, Math, Special Education; **Mrs. Pam Soukup**, Media Center Advisor, 2003 Class Advisor; **Mr. Leonard Stadler**, Science, Learning Lab, Industrial Technology.

Mrs. Kathy Stewart, Director Of Curriculum and Instruction; **Mrs. Crystal Strait**, Health, Physical Education; **Mr. Jerome Stump**, Social Studies; **Mr. James Szappan**, Physical Education, Health, Varsity Football Head Coach; **Mr. Matt Taton**, Band.

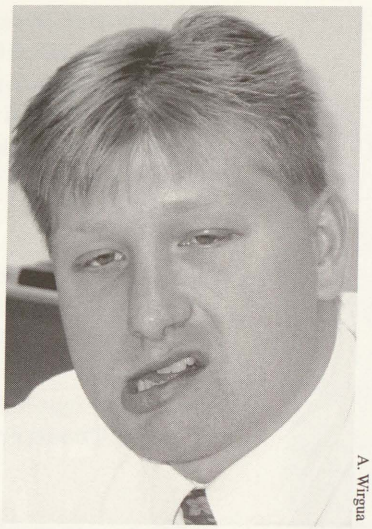
Mrs. Connie Thorn, Rover Consultant; **Mrs. Marlene Tkaczyk**, Special Education; **Mrs. Sue Uehlein**, Custodian; **Ms. Mary VanLoon**, English, Health, Mentor Program Advisor, S.A.D.D. Advisor; **Mr. Josh Walton**, Math, Freshman Football Assistant Coach, Freshman Boys Basketball Head Coach .

Mrs. Dee Wesley, Office Secretary;
Mrs. Janice Wille, Cafeteria.

Staff Not Pictured: Mrs. Tammy Birchmeier,Central Office Secretary; **Mr. Jim Birdge**, Maintenance; **Mr. Bill Bleisner**, Maintenance; **Mr. Mark Bleisner**, Maintenance; **Mrs. Nicole Bruff**, Choir; **Mrs. Margy Coughlin**, Custodian; **Mrs. Jill Folsom**, Central Office Secretary; **Mrs. Renee Greig**, Cafeteria; **Mr. Fred Hines**, Maintenance; **Mrs. Diane Kietzman**, Cafeteria; **Mr. Nathan Luna**, Student Teacher; **Miss Jordan LaSalle**, Student Teacher; **Mrs. Jeanne Macolm**, At Risk Para-Pro; **Mrs. Robin Moffit**, Custodian; **Mrs. Cindy O'Brian**, Cafeteria; **Mrs. Laura O'Neil**, Cafeteria; **Mrs. Renee Paterson**, Cafeteria Director; **Mrs. Kim Prenzler**, Cafeteria; **Mrs. Karen Quaderer**, Central Office Secretary; **Mrs. Wanda Searle**, Custodian; **Ms. Erin Smyth**, Student Teacher

Mrs. Margy Dewey

KEEP A STRAIGHT FACE. "When I was issued a warning by an authority figure, I usually answered 'Yes Sir or No Sir,'" said Mr. Walton of his high school discipline. After school he is very active in his local church as a Deacon and Youth Leader, "I teach a Sunday school class for high school students." He also plays golf and basketball.



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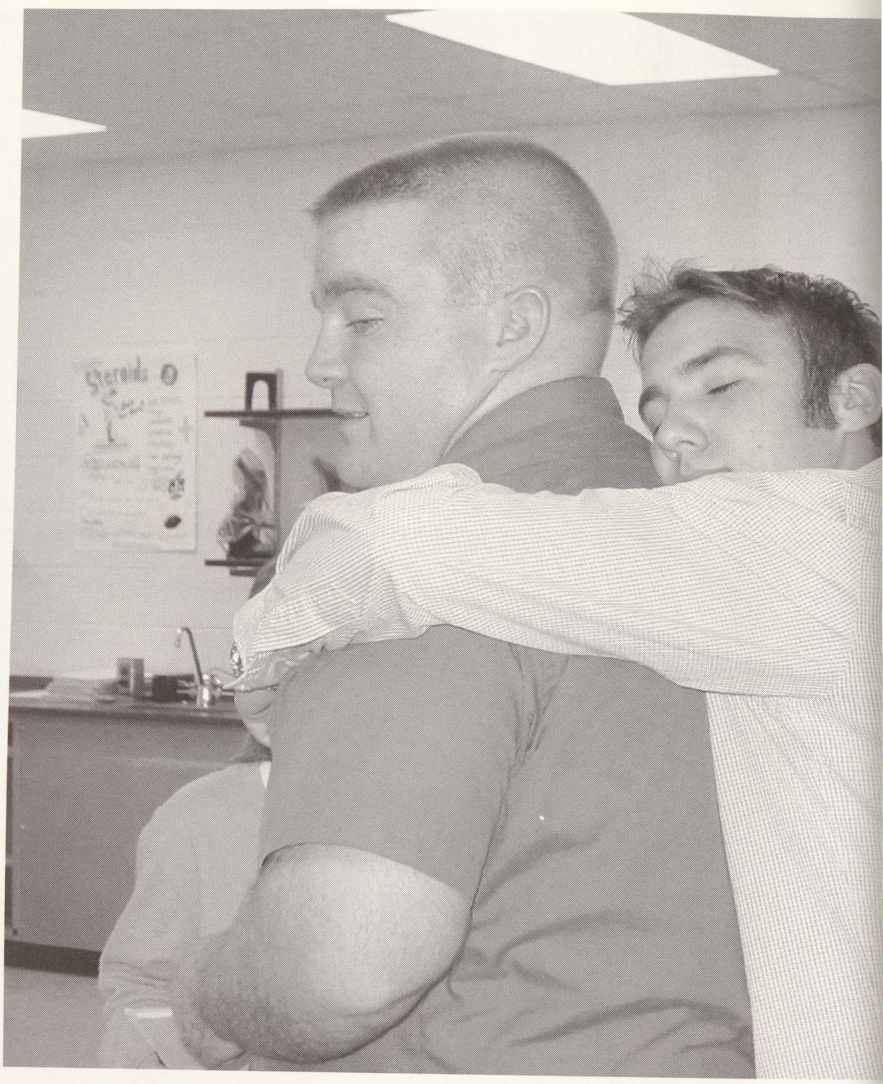
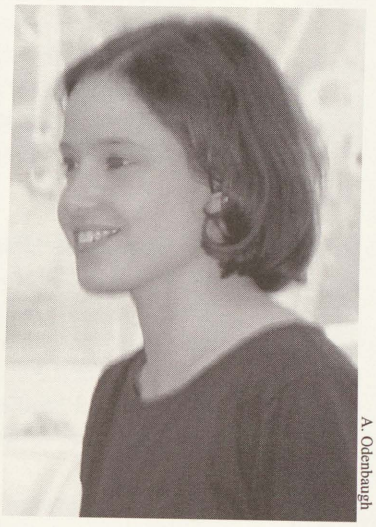


HERE COMES THE BRIDE."When I'm not at school I don't have time to do anything except plan my wedding,"said Ms. Homberg, who will be wed on June 29 to Dan, who is a teacher at Davison high school. The wedding will take place in St. Clair. Ms. Homberg was a student teacher last school year for Mr. Baese's class. She said, "I enjoy working with people," when she was asked why she decided to become a teacher.



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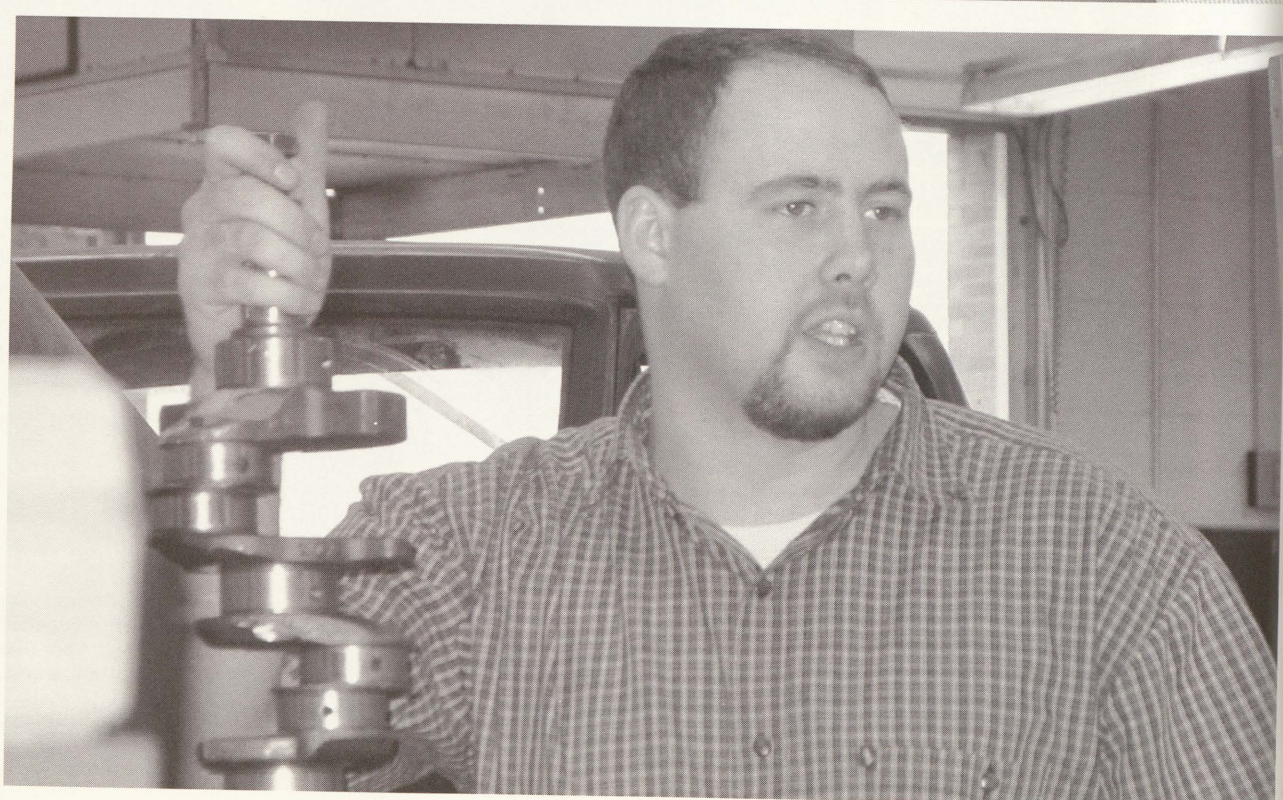
Mr. Linus Laskey

DON'T I KNOW YOU? Mr. Goward, who was a student assistant for Mr. McConnell while he attended high school here at CHS, is now heading up the class. He was recomended by his mentor for the job and was welcomed this year by the CHS staff and students. While in high school he used his spare time to study boxing and martial arts, "I didn't learn martial arts to learn how to fight, I did it for fun."



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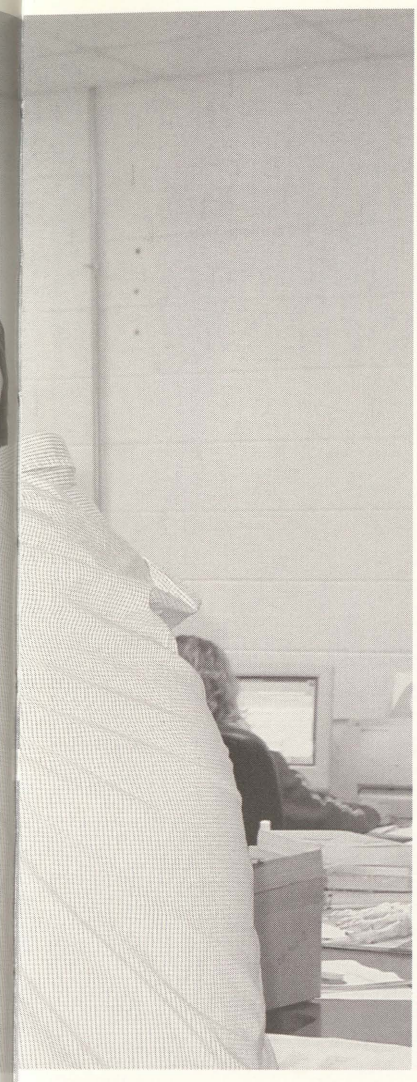


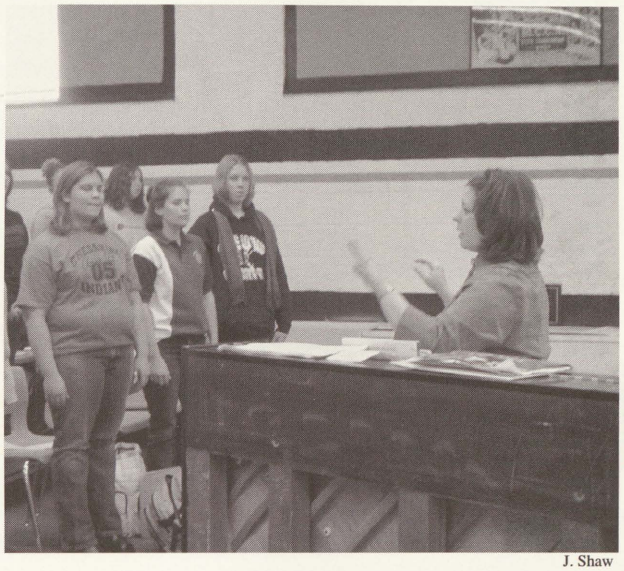
K. Huffman

KID AT HEART. Mr. Coon and Chris Breiler share a sentimental moment. "In the middle of class he'll yell out,'No Brooke I won't make out with you!'" said Mr. Coon. When he was asked to compare his high school years to those now at CHS he said, "Things are pretty much the same... geez, I'm not that old yet!"

STAYIN' ALIVE. Miss Bell Takes part in a dance group called the NIA. "I call it my Wild Women Dancing group. We dance to powerful, positive, electric music."

A.Odenbaugh

MUSIC THERAPY. Mrs. Bruff, our new choir teacher, is a 1989 Chesaning graduate. She is the daughter of Mr. Marshall. She has one son, Jacob, who was born July 11, 2001. Mrs. Bruff attended SVSU to study music therapy; she currently takes night classes to finish her teaching degree in vocal music.



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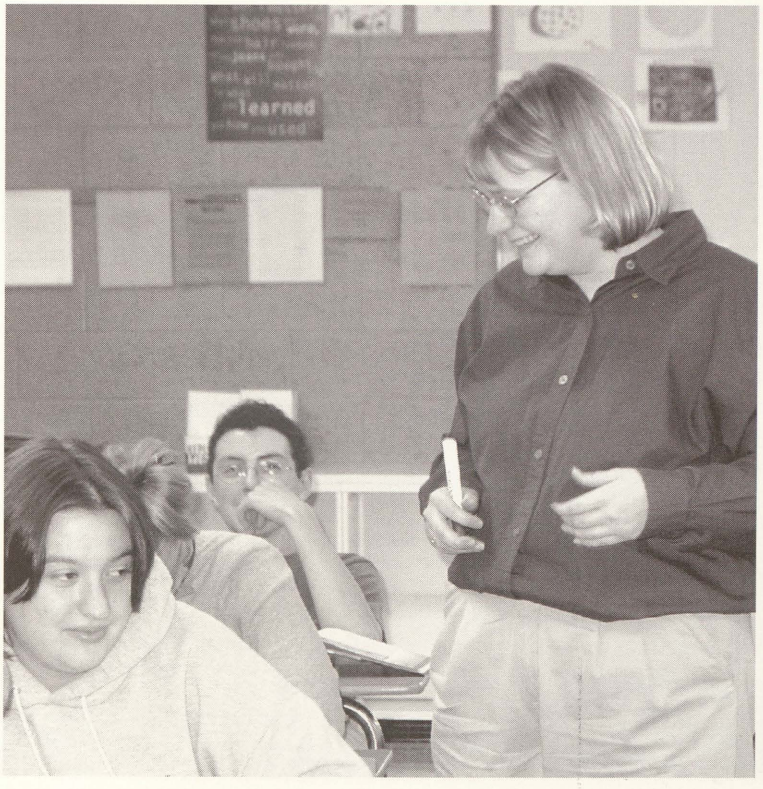

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The New Kids On The Block

New Staff Is Welcomed To CHS

Welcome To... CHS!

Ms. Bell
Mrs. Bruff
Mr. Coon
Mr. Goward
Ms. Homberg
Ms. Lenon
Mrs. Strait
Mr. Walton

FRIENDLY FACES. "Students are very friendly. Hellos come from everyone. I enjoy being here." said Ms. Lenon of her new experiences at CHS.

Up Close And Personal

Getting To Know The Staff

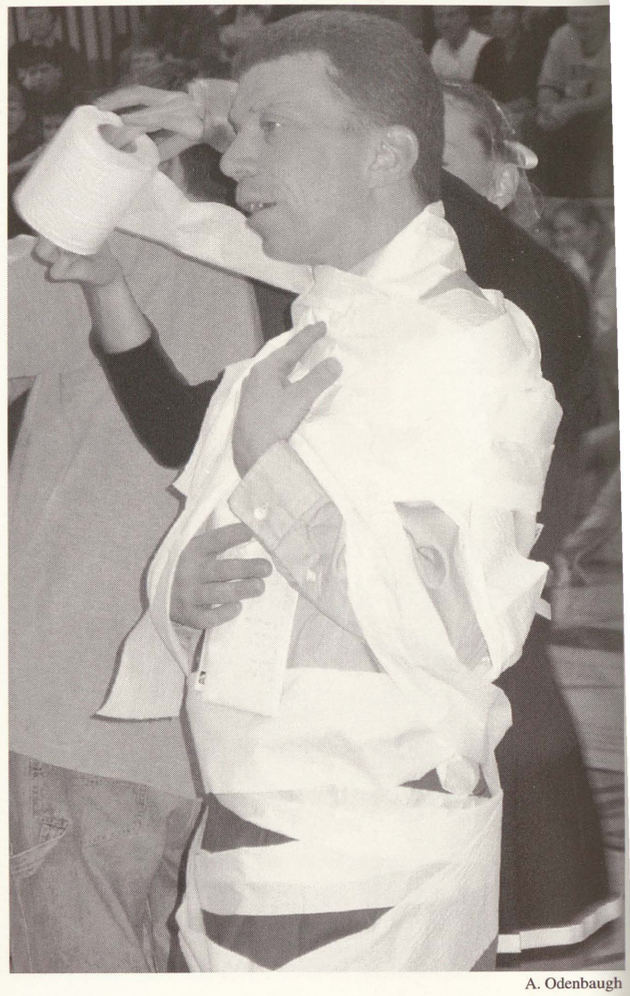
What Changes have you seen in society as compared to while you were in high school?
Mrs. VanLoon: Many more single parent or step-parent families
Mr. Forsyth: More tattoos
Mrs. Dewey: Stronger sport and activity competition
Mrs. Mishler: Lower quality of respect for authority
Mrs. Hughes: Less appreciation for what is happening around us

What activities do you participate in outside of school?
Mr. Guzy: Hunting, fishing and golf
Mrs. John: Crocheting and hooking rugs
Mrs. Dickie: Gardening, reading, traveling and auction sale shopping
Mr. Coon: Softball team, woodworking and remodeling houses

If you could choose any career rather than teaching what would it be?
Mrs. Lenon: Own my own business
Mrs. Duranleau: Clergy member in a Catholic church
Mr. Baese: Jesuit Priest, then a Monsignor, then a Bishop, then an Arch Bishop, then a Cardinal Bishop, then retired

Mr. James Szappan

WOULD MRS. DICKIE LET HERSELF BE TOILET PAPERED? "Everyone looked up to Mrs. Dickie," said Mr. Forsyth when he was asked whom he looked up to while in high school.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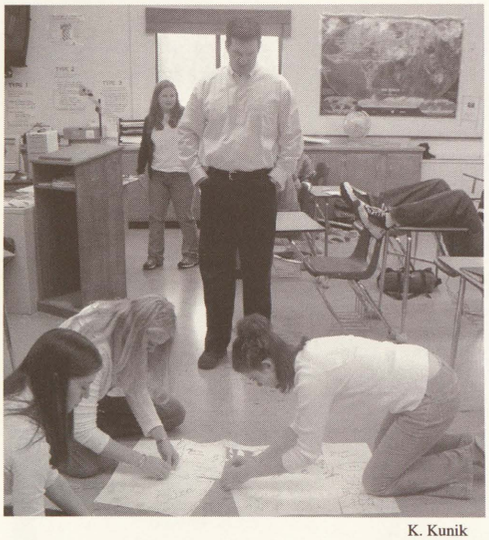
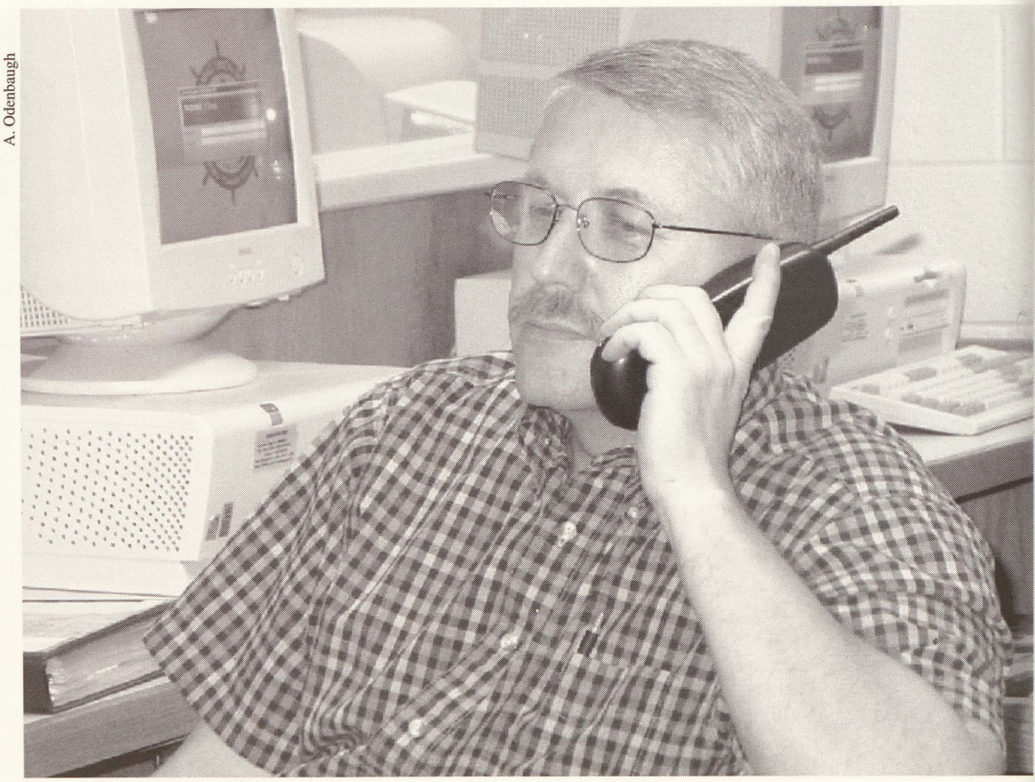

K. Kunik

QUILTING ANYONE? Mr. Haist's ALM class is shown here putting together a quilt for Jessica Stewart's project. "The ALM classes this year were great!" said Mr. Haist, "They worked extrememly hard to accomplish their goals, it was fun to teach a class where the students were passionate about learning."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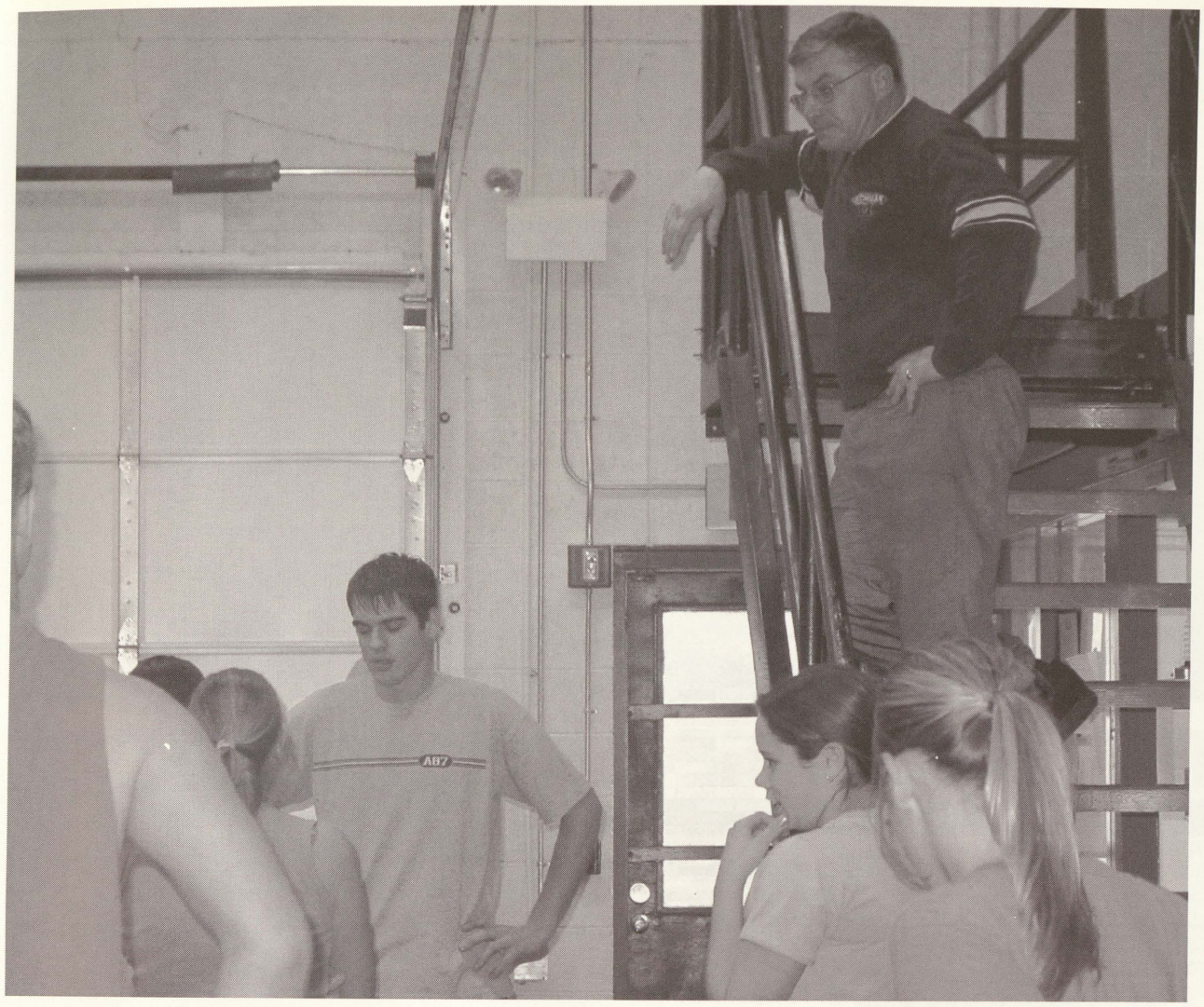

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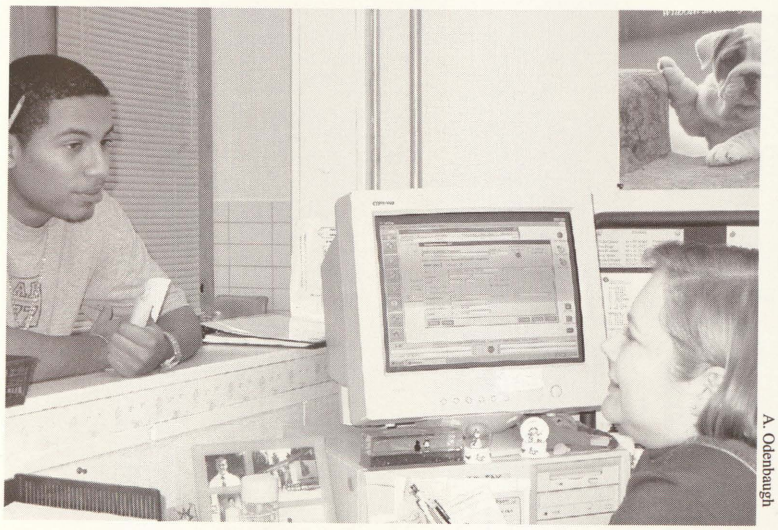
DRESSEDFOR SUCCESS. "When I was in high school no one was allowed to wear blue jeans. Girls had to wear skirts or dresses and they had to be a certain length. Some teachers would actually go around and measure skirt length," said Mr. Szappan of his dress code while in high school. "You could not be in the halls at any time unless the office came to get you," he said. "This was never good news." Also while in high school he said swearing was not allowed and teachers had to dress up, men in ties and women in dresses. Despite the rules, "high school was fun," he concluded.



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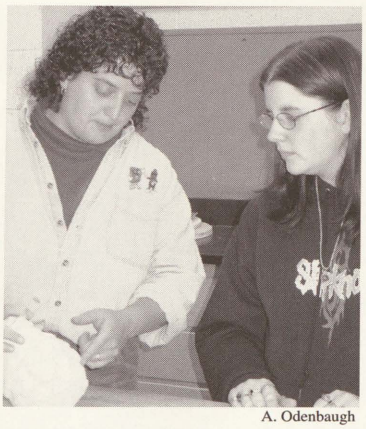
RE"CALLING" THE PAST. Mr. Guzy remembers a time when, "Discipline was stricter. Students could be paddled. If two students were going to fight, the physical ed teacher would get out the boxing gloves." He also says, "I can remember "Gas Wars" with gas costing 25 cents/gal."

WHERE I WANT TO BE. "I was in VTBE in high school. It was taught by Mrs. Judy Albert and Mrs. Jan Bretall." said Mrs. Meyer of her high school experiences, "I really enjoyed them and it obviously helped me a lot with my career choice."



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IN AND OUT OF CLASS. Mrs. Duranleau is many things other than a teacher, " I am a chairman for the Curwood festival. I am an Eagles member. I am a freelance artist, and I am a mom." She has one son and four foster kids that she spends much of her time with outside of school.

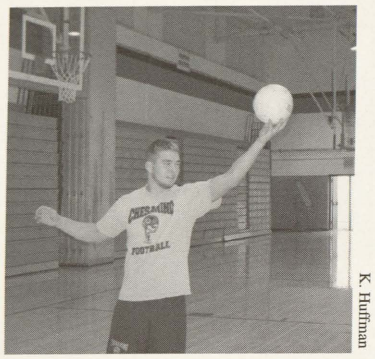
A.Odenbaugh

HAND IN HAND. "I love to do things with my hands, I crochet, do cross stitch, embroider, sew and quilt." said Mrs. Boswell. "There is never enough time for me to do these things during the school year, so most of it is done on vacations."

Analyzing your brain. Anita Holden, April Kettle and Alyssa Emmendorfer present a game for the math and logic intelligence of the brain for Psychology class. "In our game, the class had to draw a maze and then go through it," said Anita.

Big mama. Cara Wendling discusses her Sociology project on Anorexia to try to show the class how a person with the disease perceives their body. "This suit was hotter than Satan's breath," commented Cara.

Make it an ace. Brent Conklin serves the ball while playing volleyball in Carryover Sports. In this gym class, you learn how to play golf, bowling, tennis and volleyball.



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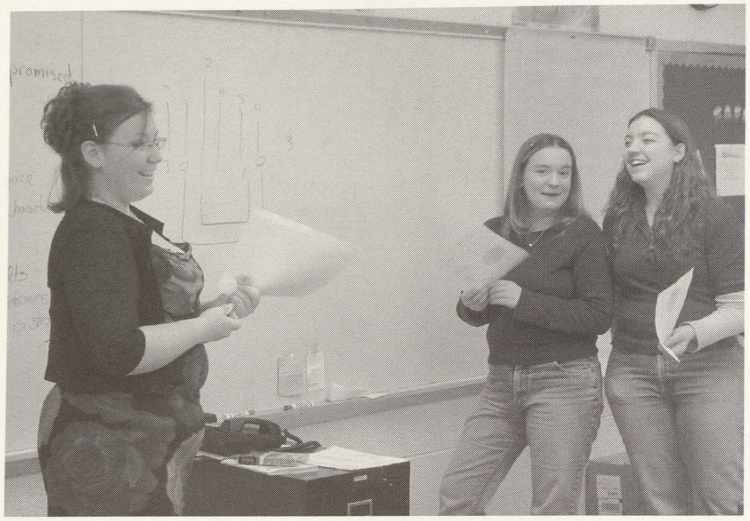

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FACE THE CHALLENGE

THE VALUE OF KNOWLEDGE

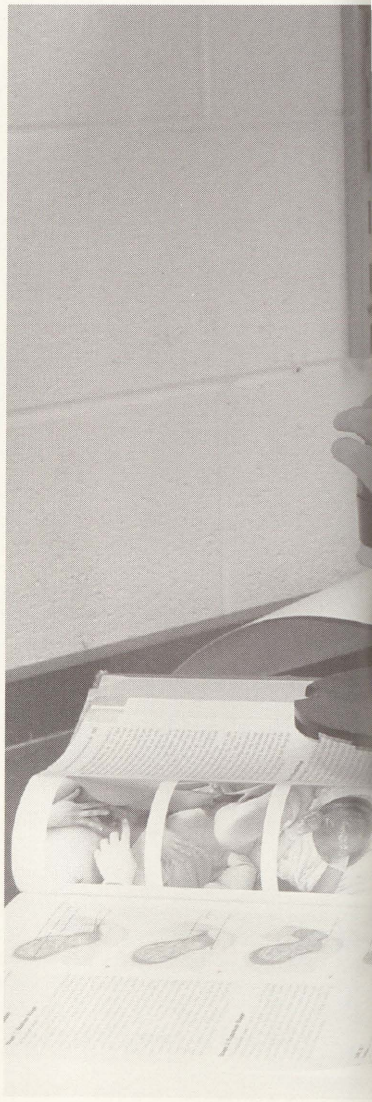
Cost of a pack of pencils...$1.99

Cost of a book bag...$40.00

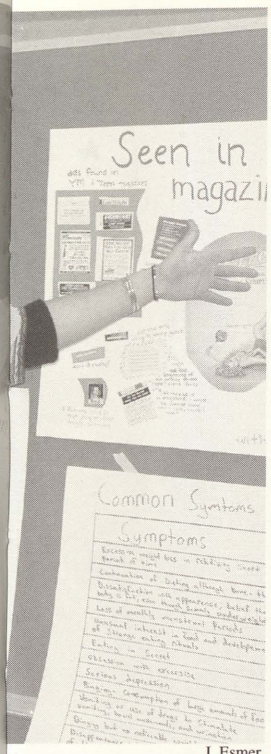
Cost of a calculator...$90.00

School is an essential part of all our lives although most of us take it for granted. Knowledge is something we will have forever, no matter what happens or where we go in life. Some of us will continue our education beyond high school; some of us will not, but one thing is for sure: we will never stop learning.

Cost of an education that will last forever...Priceless



Courtney Adams



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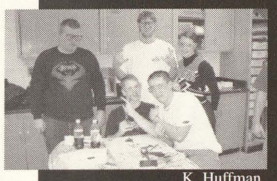
PERSONAL VALUES

Fernando Rojas

"I value good friends, pretty women and nice cars. I would value an A in Economics, but Mr. Bogar wouldn't give me one," said Fernando Rojas regarding what he values in life.



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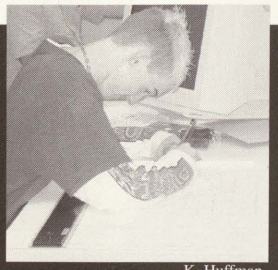

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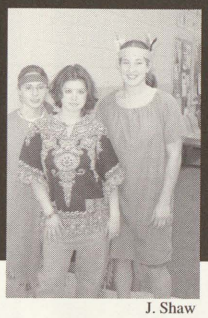

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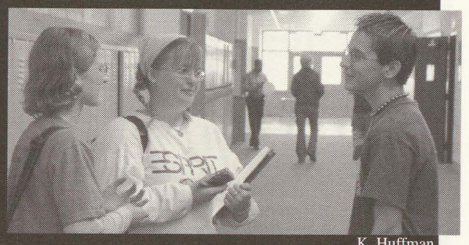

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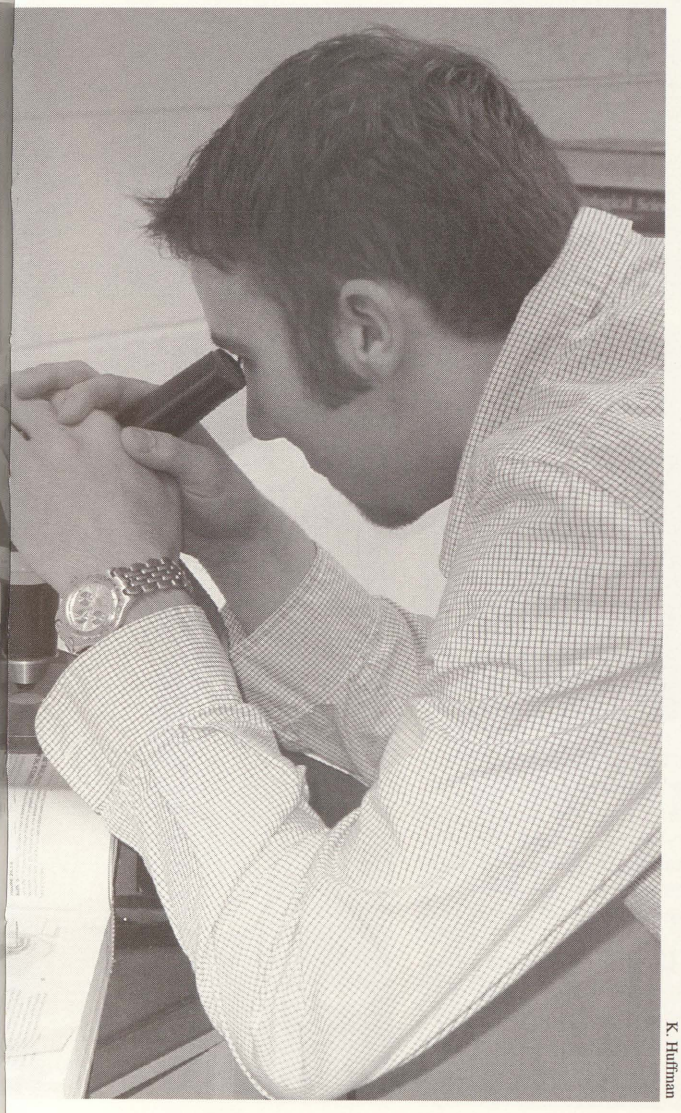

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Under close watch. Chris Breiler inspects the Human Biology textbook very closely under a microscope. "The class was fun and interesting. Also, I love Mr. Coon...and I always will," said Chris.

Technological support. Jason Croucher and Tyler Alden make key chains by melting plastic and putting them into the mold. "Technology class was fun. We had a lot of responsibilities, but we got to do a lot of cool stuff," said Jason.

K. Huffman

Elvis has Entered the Building. Showing off his display, Justin Birchmeier inpersonates Elvis Presley. The ALM class had to study someone they they felt was was admirable for Eminent Day. "I admire Elvis more after I studied him because I learned more about him. I learned about his army life, concert life, everything," said Justin.

Sitting on the Job. Erica Shuster answers questions for middle shcool students. "I chose to be Deborah Bull because she is a dancer, but she also does a lot for dance," said Erica. Erica contacted Deborah Bull through e-mail and received pictures and a pair of toe-shoes.

-M. Zajdlik

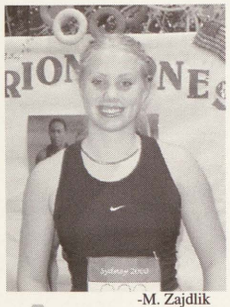
*Face*FAQs

Q. What was your favorite part of ALM class?

-M. Zajdlik

A "Being able to work independently and not having to listen to lectures."

-Allison Alexander



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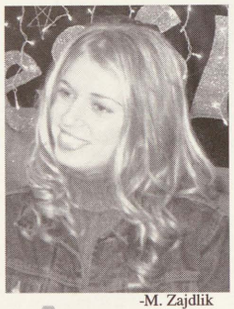
A "My favorite part is Eminent Day when we got to spend the day talking to the little kids and informing them about our people."

-Jessie Stewart



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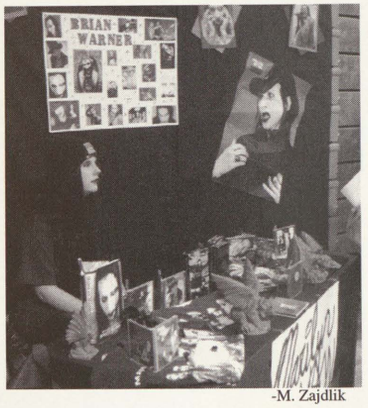
A "You get to do everything by yourself, you don't have lessons, and you get to plan what you are doing."

-Anndee Gross



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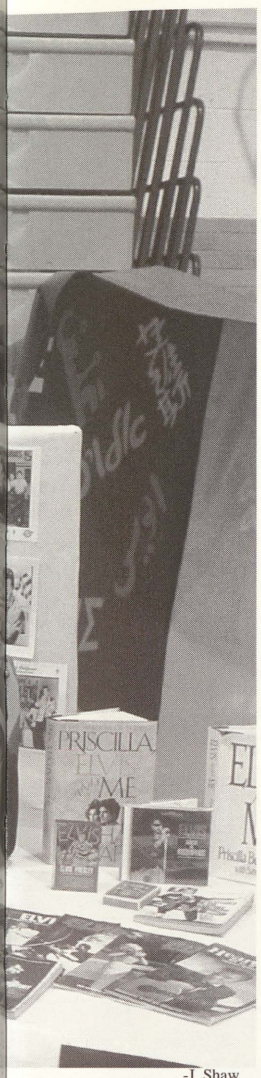
Disposable Teens. Maggie Hyatt poses as Brian Warner, a.k.a. Marilyn Manson. In ALM, the class does family days. "Family days are when we take all of the desks and put them in a circle. We fish-bowl our ideas and we tell each other where we are in our projects," said Maggie.

In a Van, Down by the River. Tom Ebenhoeh entertains students as Chris Farley. "I chose to do Chris Farley because I admire him. He's funny, and I want to be an actor when I get older," said Tom.



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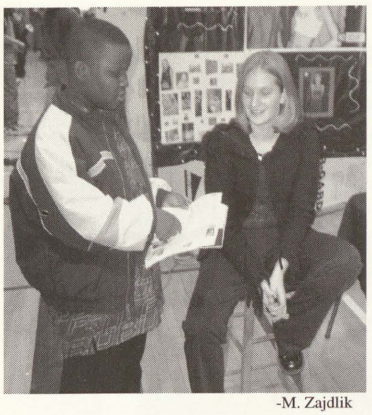

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Don't Speak. Amber Adams portrays Gwen Stefani. "I bought a lot of things for Eminent Day. I bought clothes, jewelery, and back drop lights. It probably cost a little more than one hundred dollars," said Amber.

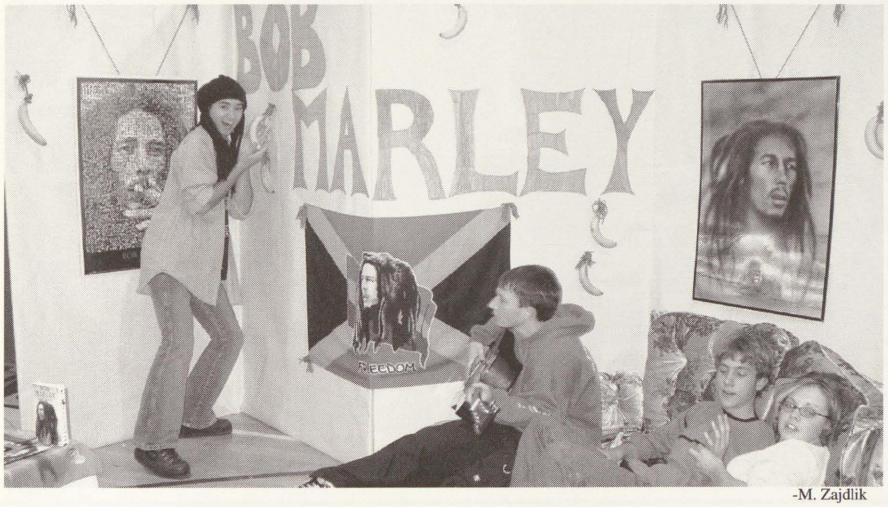
TV Talk. Trisha Martin talks to students as Sally Jessie Raphel. "I really didn't know who to pick and one day I was watching TV and saw Sally Jessie Raphel. At first I just wanted to mock her, but I started reading about her on the internet and realized she had more to her life," said Trisha.

-M. Zajdlik

At Eminent Day, 39 students found themselves walking in...

Famous Shoes

All the students in the ALM class had to choose a person they felt was important for Eminent Day. They had to learn every thing about that person and create backdrops for their display. For one day the class was no longer CHS students, they were stars.



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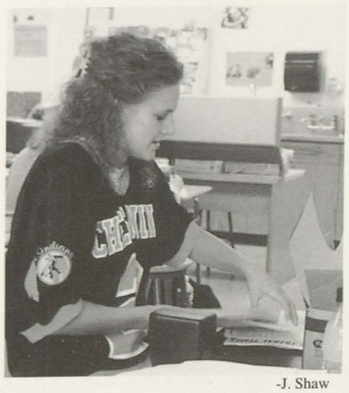
Jamaican Me Crazy. At Eminent Day, Russ Domes poses as Bob Marley. Eminent Day is not the only large project completed in ALM. "We also have to do a lifelong learning notebook," said Russ. "A lifelong learning notebook is pretty much like a portfolio."

-M. Zajdlik

Don't Cry for Me CHS. Amanda Wirgau stands with her husband and his officials behind her. Amanda was Eva Peron for Eminent Day. For a number of the students in the class, including Amanda, this is the second time taking the class. "The class is really hard work, which makes it hard to take it over and over. It's something to challenge you. It's not your everyday class," said Amanda.

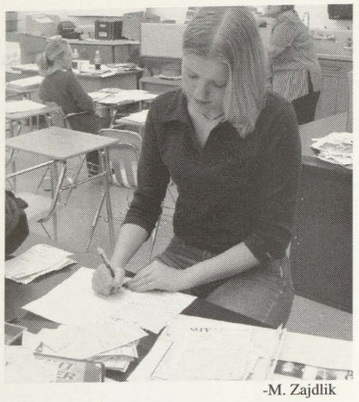
Kylee Kunik



-J. Shaw

Working the Assembly Line. Junior Amanda Wirgau, staples the Tribal Times together. "I like to staple the papers, because I don't like to walk in circles around the tables to put the papers together," said Amanda. The journalism class puts out an edition of the Tribal Times every month.

Lots-O-Babies. Senior Jill Meyer, designs a page for senior baby ads in yearbook class. "It's fun to look at all of the baby pictures before everyone else sees them in the yearbook," said Jill. It took Jill three months to complete all of the baby ads.



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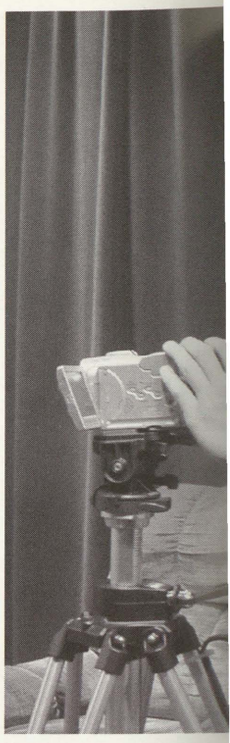


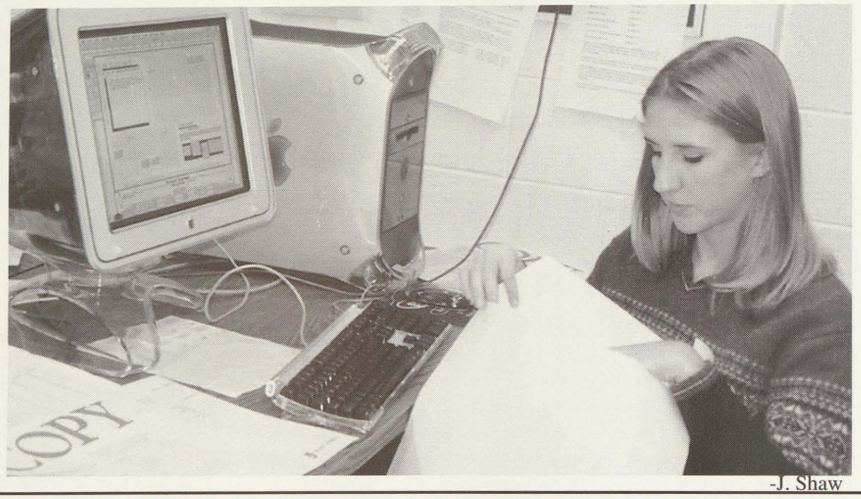
The journalism, yearbook and media classes all learned how to use their...

Noses for News

These three classes have been given the responsiblity of reporting the daily, monthly and yearly news to our school. Each person has to complete his own job for the whole product to be successful.

Josh Krause

Editor Action. Kristen Huffman creates a layout for the 2002 yearbook. Kristen is the Co-Editor of the yearbook. "It's a lot of responsibility at times, but I'm glad that I did it because it really pays off when I get to see the finished yearbook," said senior Kristen Huffman.



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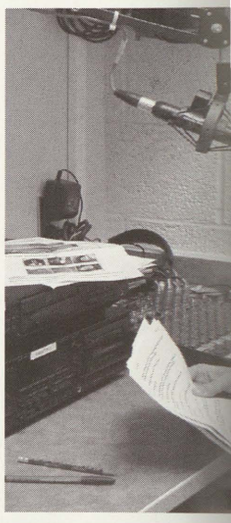

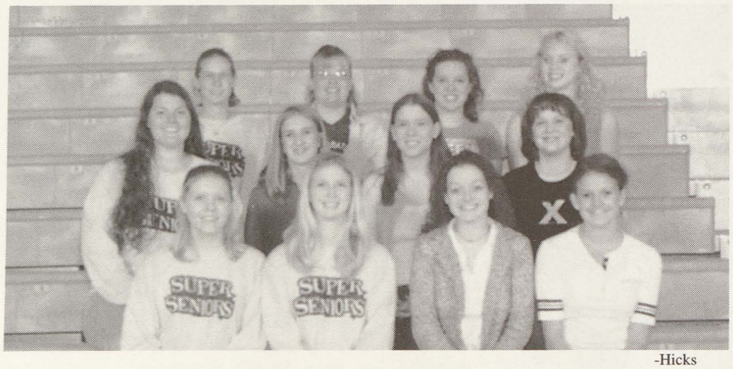

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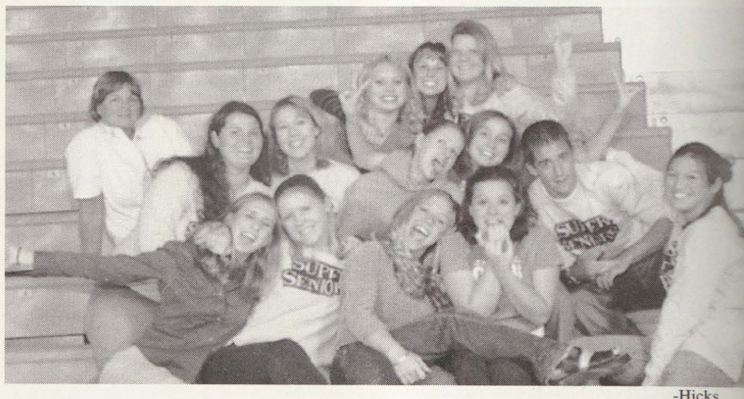
JOURNALISM *Front:* Jill Meyer, Cara Gross, Tricia Coole, Amanda Wirgau *Row 2:* Mary Hughes, Kristen Huffman, Melissa Londry, Amanda Carroll *Row 3:* Carrie Hudecek, Nichole Knoellinger, Mary Schneider, Jessie Stewart



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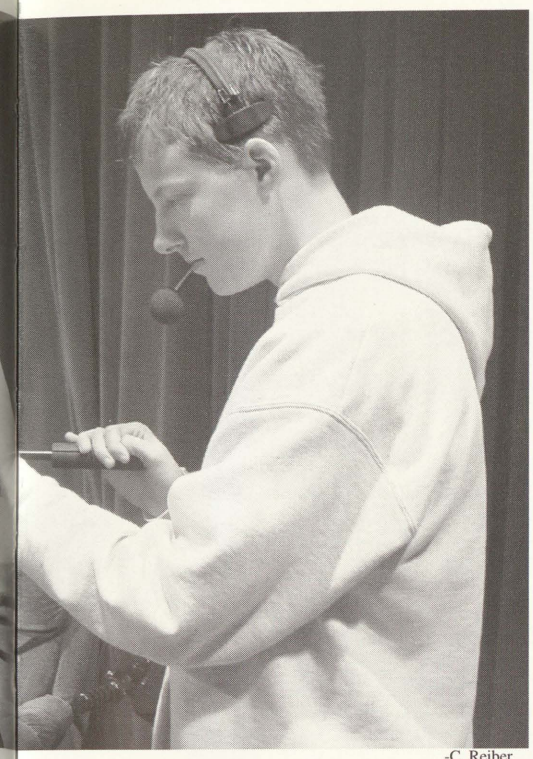
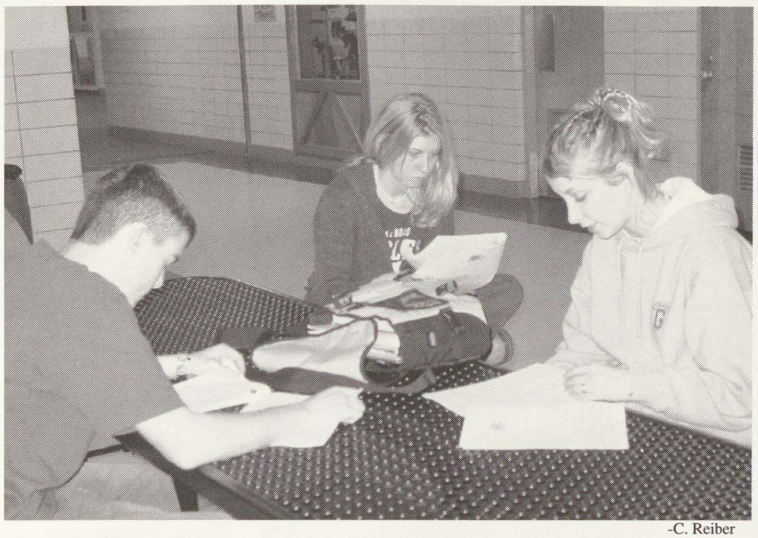
YEARBOOK *Front:* Kristen Huffman, Jill Meyer, Cassie Reiber, Mary Schneider, Kylee Kunik *Row 2:* Mary Hughes, Lori Trumble, Kim Newton, Brynn Call, Justin Birchmeier *Back:* Ms. Shaw, Jessie Stewart, Michelle Zajdlik, Julie Esmer *Missing:* Amber Odenbaugh, Zac Alden, Amanda Wirgau



-C. Reiber

Lights, Camera, Action! Ricky Delong tapes the show for WCHS. "In media class, we had to go through all of the jobs a real news crew would have to go through," said Ricky. It takes about 10-15 minutes to make each episode of WCHS.



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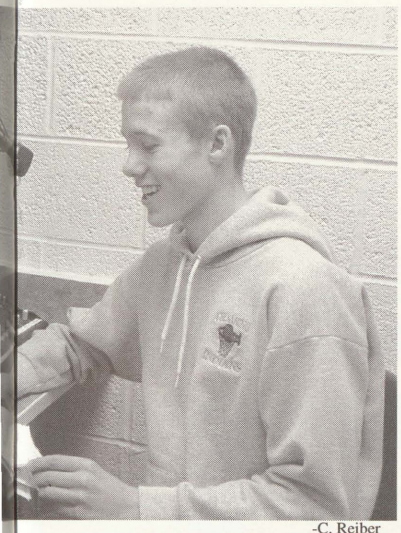
Tribal Times Temptation. Adam Joyce, Jessica Platt and MaryLynn Thiele all read their Tribal Times Newspaper. The Tribal Times is sold for 25 cents each and usually comes out once a month.



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RB is a Real DJ. Ryan Beckman records for WWOW Radio in Media class. Everyday during lunch a radio program is broadcasted at lunch. "Media class is fun because we get to learn about everything that goes on in the world of media," said Ryan.

Loves to Talk. Rich Price, Melissa Bitterman and Carly Selleck report the announcements on WCHS. "Every week you get a new job, from working the cameras, to floor person, to talent, to the radio show," said Melissa.

-M. Zajdlik

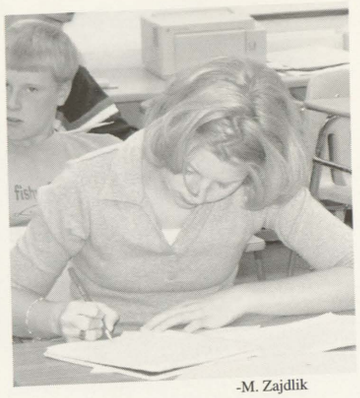
Ad-gitated. Shuffling through the advertisement contracts, Cassie Reiber finishes the ad pages. All of the members of the yearbook class were to go to different businesses to sell ads at the beginning of the trimester. "Doing the ads was hard because Ms. Shaw kept changing her mind on how we were going to do it," said senior Cassie Reiber.

-Hicks

MEDIA II *Front:* Richard Price, Tricia Coole, Shauna Hemgesberg, Jori Pacek *Row 2:* Justin Maxa, Amber Odenbaugh, Ryan Beckman, Thomas Ebenhoeh, Joshua Krause, Jeremiah Hoover

-Hicks

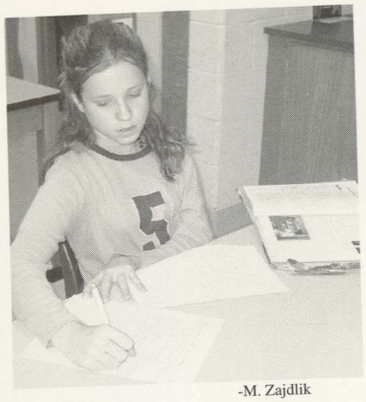
MEDIA *Front:* Amber Odenbaugh, Michelle Agnew, Anndee Gross, Jessie Platt, Julie George, Jori Pacek, Brandon Chrysler *Row 2:* Sarah Tithof, Kylee Kunik, Carly Sellek, Melissa Bitterman, Jenny Anderson, Tiffany Witt, Josselyn Gross *Row3:* Hollie Adelberg, Elyse Stickel, Heather Prince, Jeremiah Hoover, Randy Coole, Cassie Keys, Jennifer Smith *Row 4:* Tricia Coole, Paul Tithof, Jeremy Wolverton, Travis Woods, Chad Soukup, Jacob Righi, Jason Strachota *Row 5:* Mitchell Bell, Justin Maxa, Tom Ebenhoeh, Richard Price, Shauna Hemgesberg, Joshua Krause, Ryan Beckman *Missing:* Dustin Gross, Kristen Huffman, Melissa Londry



-M. Zajdlik

Going for the Long Stretch. Jessica Bates is working hard in her Communications Skills class. "I was writing a research paper on child labor. It took me about three weeks to finish it," said senior Jessica Bates.

CPR Dummy Mishap. Amanda Newton is working on a worksheet in her health class. "The funniest thing that happened to me in health was when we were working with the CPR dummies, because I dropped my gum down its mouth," said freshman Amanda Newton.



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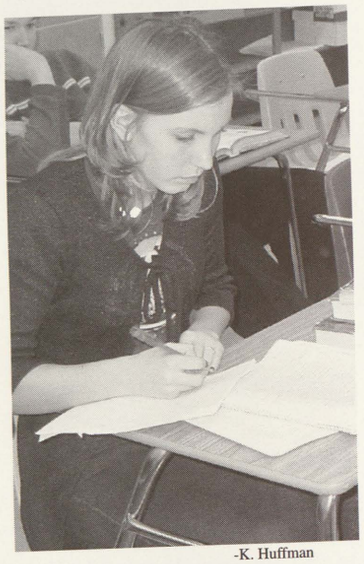
Sitting Pretty

Every class at CHS has a different atmosphere, whether students are punching numbers into a calculator in Trigonometry, writing an author paper in English II, or weaving a purse in Crafts, students are always sitting pretty.

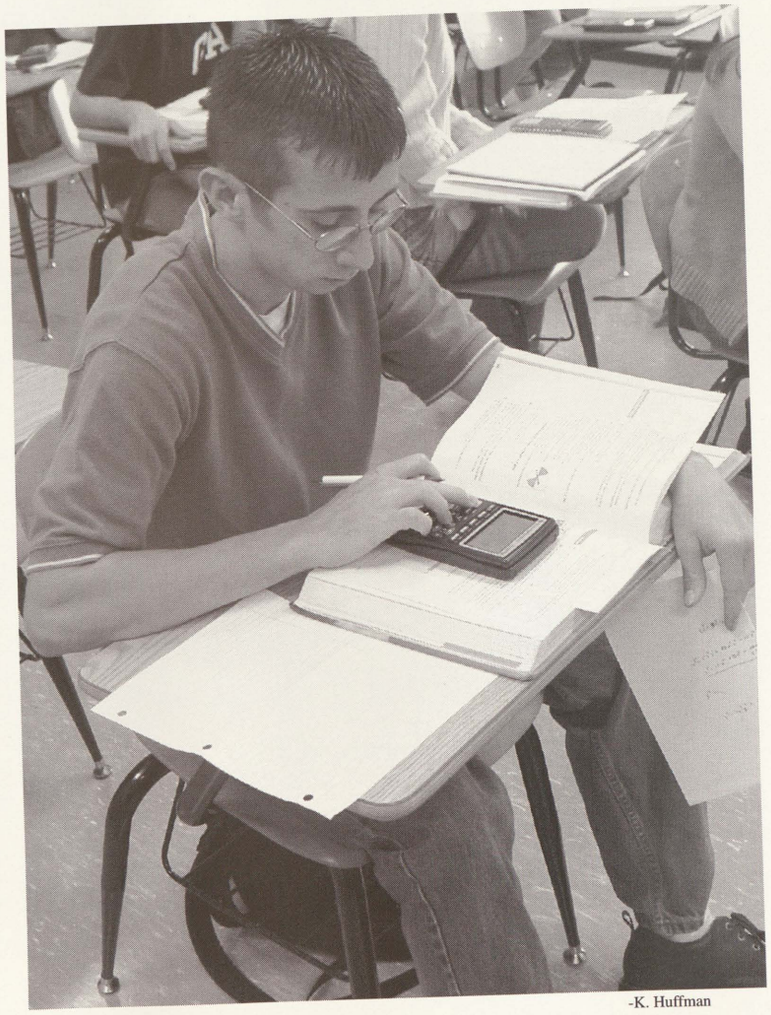
Craig Weisenberger



-K. Huffman

Judy is in Full Blume. Kristen Dunham is working on her author paper for her English II class. The author that she chose to research was Judy Blume.

Did you say Quadratic Formula? Robert Tomac is working hard on his Function, Statistics, and Trigonometry homework. "Pre-calculus was the hardest math class that I've taken this year. I am taking a lot of math classes so that I am prepared for college. I plan on going to Michigan Tech or Kettering University," said senior Robert Tomac.



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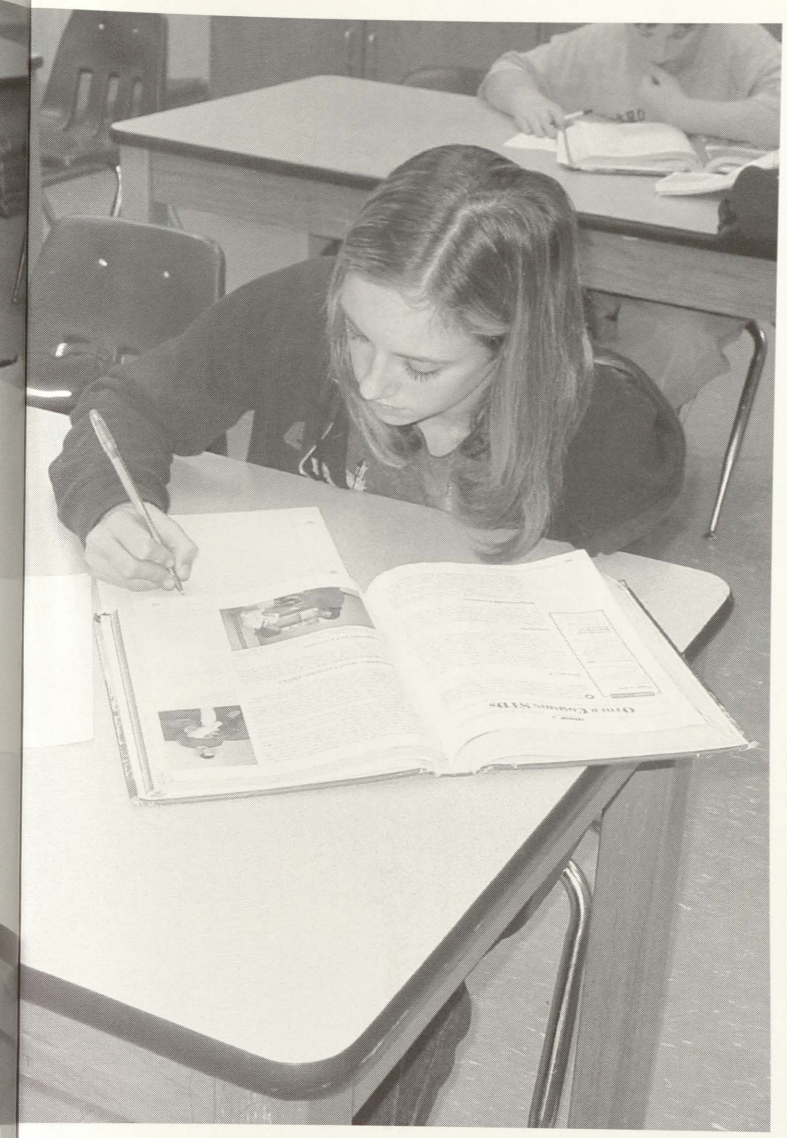

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Laugh Out Loud. Beth Douglas is in Mr. Quaderer's Health class finishing her work. "People were always telling jokes and making me laugh. That made the class more fun," said Beth Douglas.

Are you Talking to Me? Ryan Schmidt takes a break from his Health assignment. "Health class was fun because Mitch Bell, Amanda Newton, and Jenny Moore were in it. They always said the funniest things," said Ryan Schmidt.

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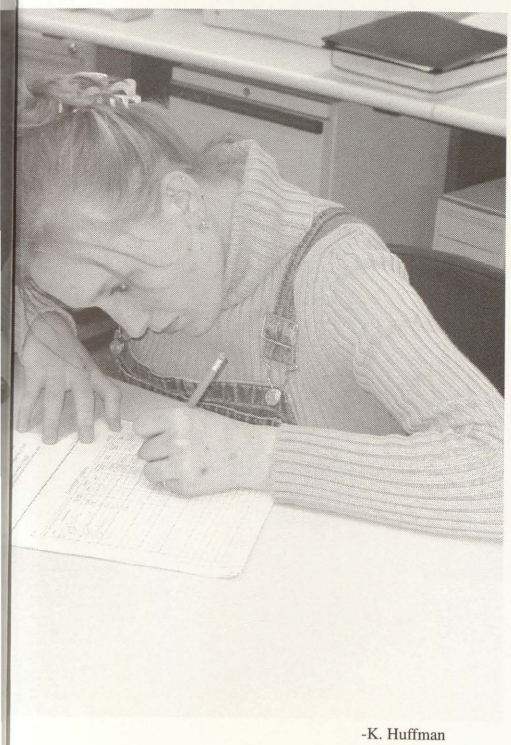

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Count on Accounting. Brandi Blakeslee is taking a test for her basic accounting class. "Basic accounting class was very fun and I learned a lot. I think that this class will help me with what I plan on going into, which is law," said Brandi.

*Face*FAQs

Q: What are the types of things you made in Crafts class?

"We made pillows, clay pots, stained glass, stepping stones and weaved purses. Crafts was frustrating, but I still had a lot of fun.

-Jessie Platt

-M. Zajdlik

Q: Do you plan on going into a math career?

"Yes, I plan on being a computer programmer. Math has always been a challenging subject for me, but I am always up for the challenge."

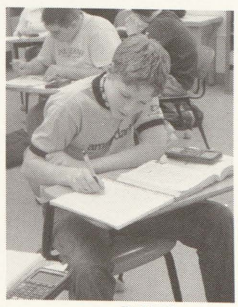
-Tyler Bates

-M. Zajdlik

Q: What was your favorite science lab?

"The Cloud Lab was my favorite. In Mr. Hoggard's Natural Science I class we made clouds by pumping air into a jar after we blew out the match that was inside it."

-Samantha Kettle



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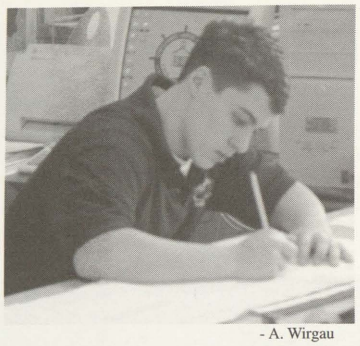
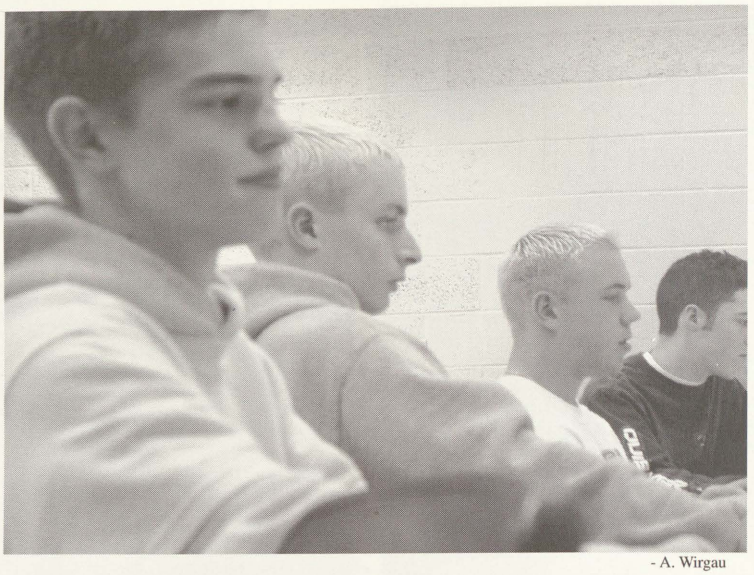


- A. Wirgau

Getting Busy with It. Marc Rehmann decided to become Mr. Haist's student aide because he was in the middle of two college courses. Many students become student assistants due to scheduling mishaps.



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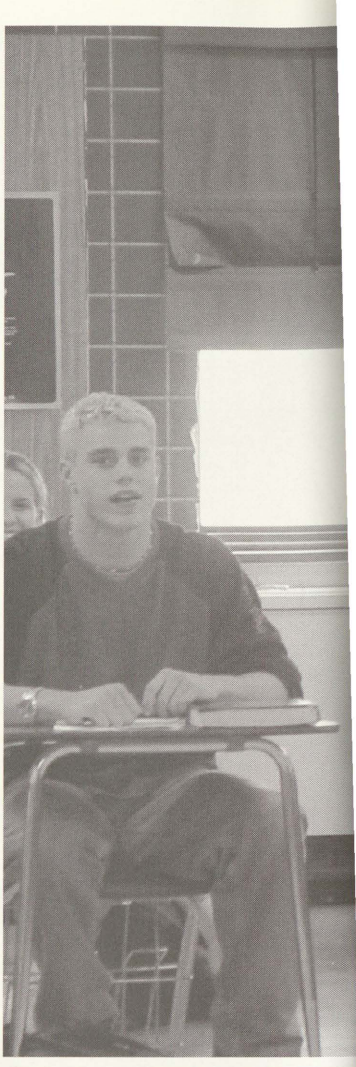
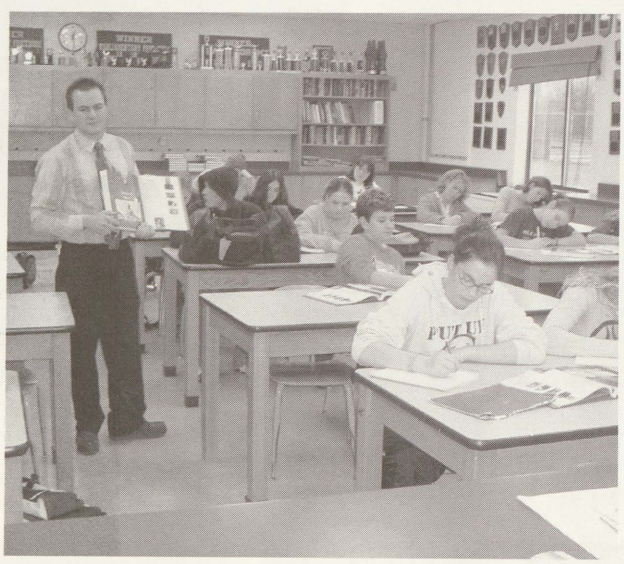
Future Businesspeople of America. "General Business taught by Ms. Shimek is a fun class to take. It is good if you are going to college for business," said Ryan Timlick.



Shane Bennett

Take It Or Leave It

With the trimester system at Chesaning, students have many options for which classes they would like to take. From the required classes such as English, math, and science, or the elective classes such as journalism, media, foreign language, electricity, and more, there are many exciting choices that help students decide their career path.



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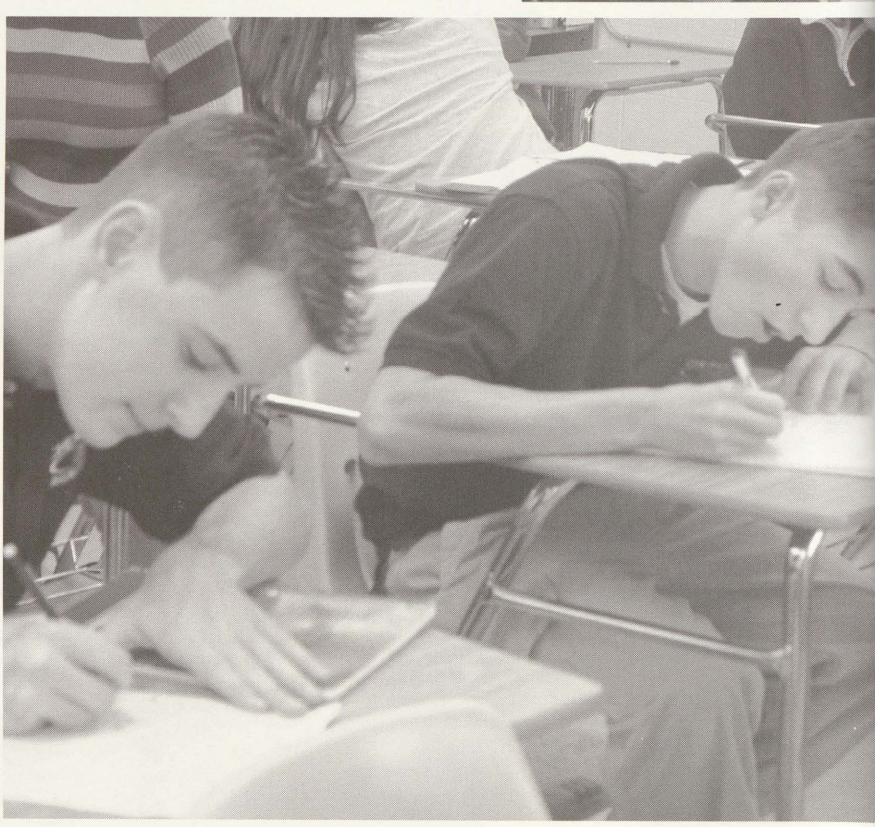
Bill Nye The Science Guy. Mr. Kovach is the Natural Science I teacher. The class requires many Earth Science labs.

I Wanna Talk about Me. In the required English II class, taught by Mr. Forsyth, one of the first assignments students do is to write a paper about what they are proud of. Brandon Bassham and Trevor Lorencz wrote about being proud to be student athletes.



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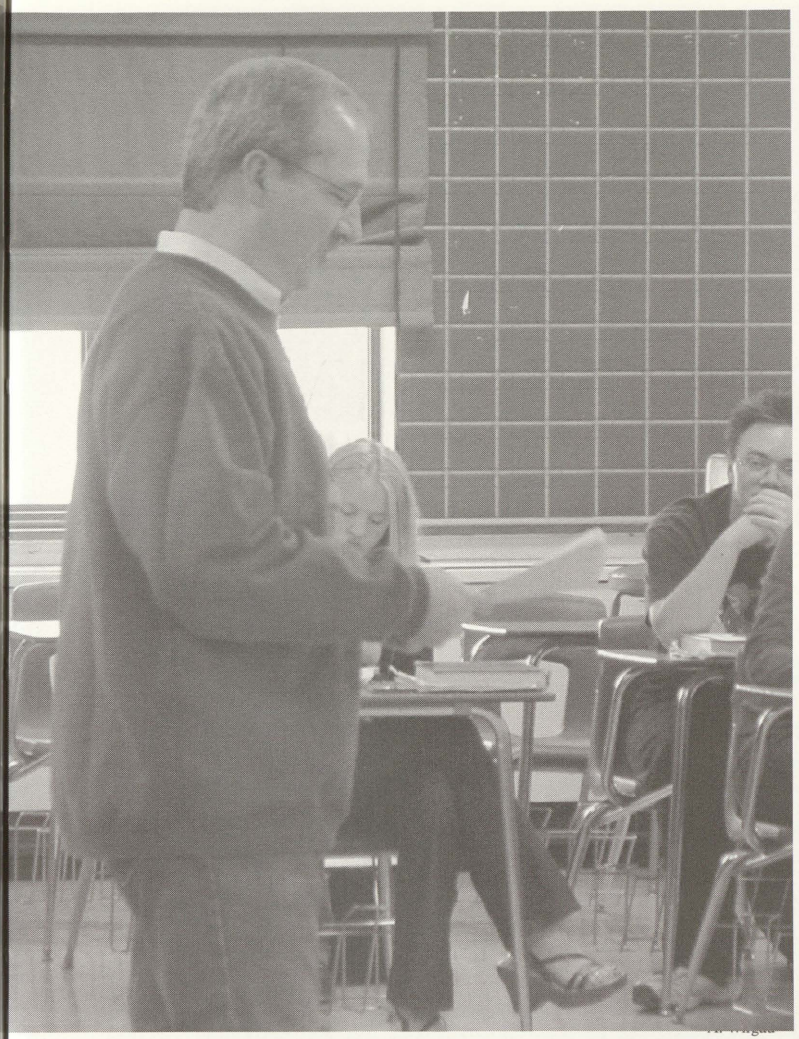

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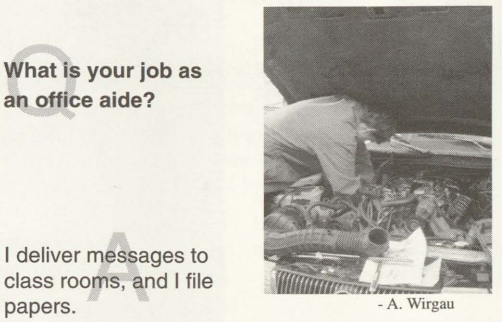
Q What is your job as an office aide?

A I deliver messages to class rooms, and I file papers.

-Jami Wolf



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Q What work do you do on the computers for electricity class?

A We look for jobs over the internet related to electricity

-Brian Reiber

Q What is your favorite part of auto class?

A Basically, my favorite part is that we get a chance to work on our own cars.

-Chris Goward

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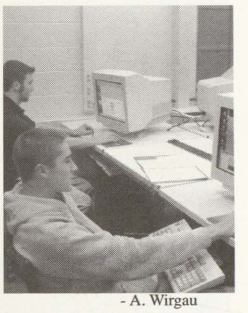

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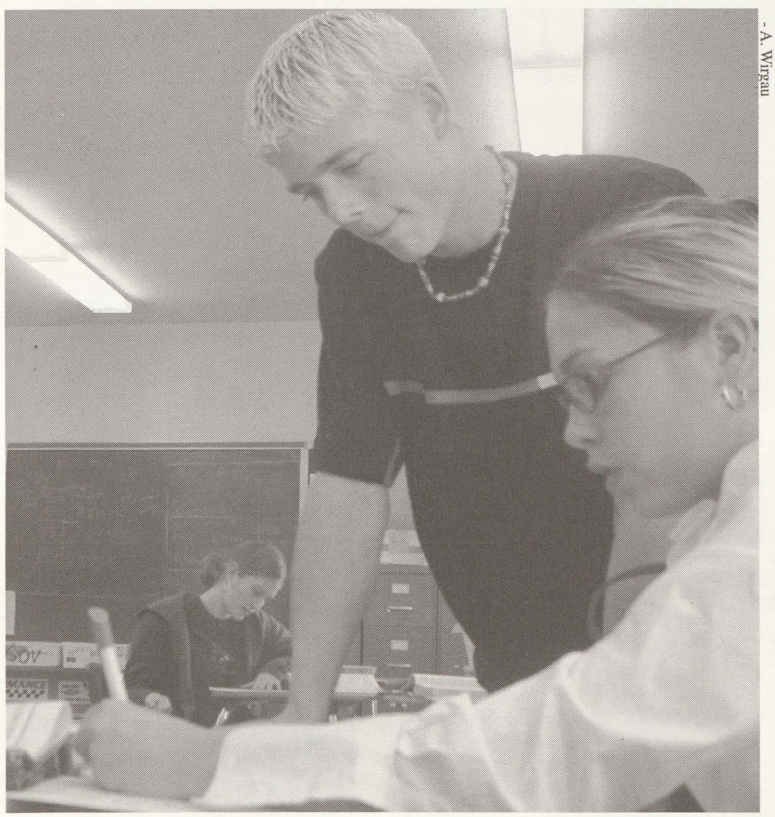
Politically Correct. Political Decisions is a required class for seniors. It is mostly taught by Mr. Messinger. Chelsey Geisken said, "Political Decsions is a fun class; we talk about issues that are going on today. It is important now because of September 11th."



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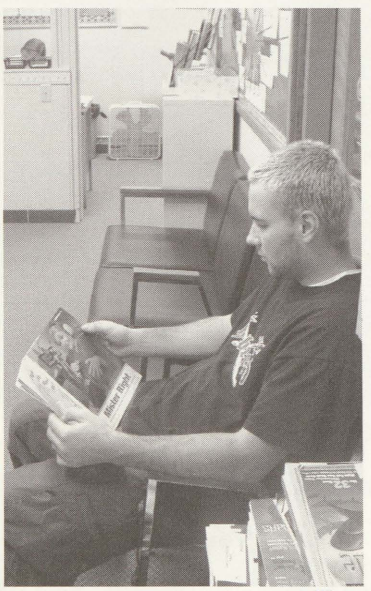

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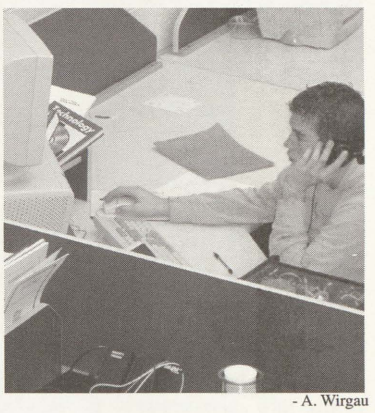

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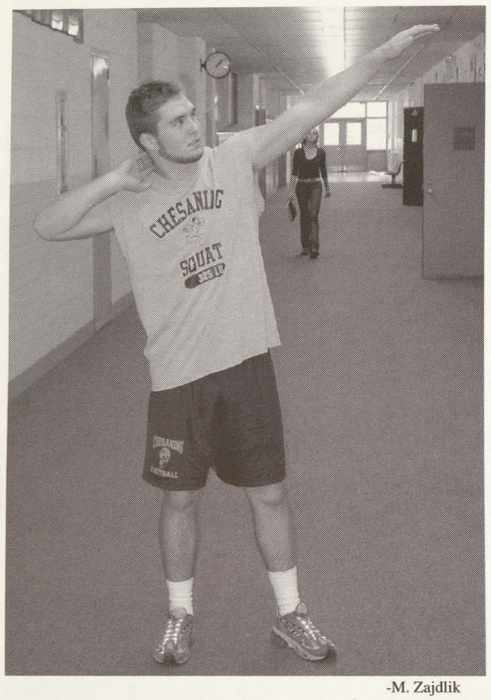
Think... Think...Think...! Jarod Keit is busy taking a technology test. "The tests in there are usually pretty hard," he said.

Time After Time. Paul Bissonnette awaits his doom to reschedule his classes. "I hope to take classes like being a student assistant rather than a hard math class," Paul said.

Two Minds Are Better than One. Juniors Hollie Wendling and Craig Weisenberger are busy working together on their required government course. "Craig and I have always been best friends. We always do our homework together," said Hollie.

1600 Meter Beater. Nicky Busci takes a break after running the mile in Carryover Sports class. Running the mile is a requirement for the physical fitness test, along with other exercises such as the sit and reach test, shuffle run, sit-ups and pull-ups.

Heismen Hottie. Brent Conklin directs visitors to the gym on his way back to class. "Justin Birchmeier asked me what way it was to the gym, so I quickly struck this pose in the direction of the gym," said Brent.



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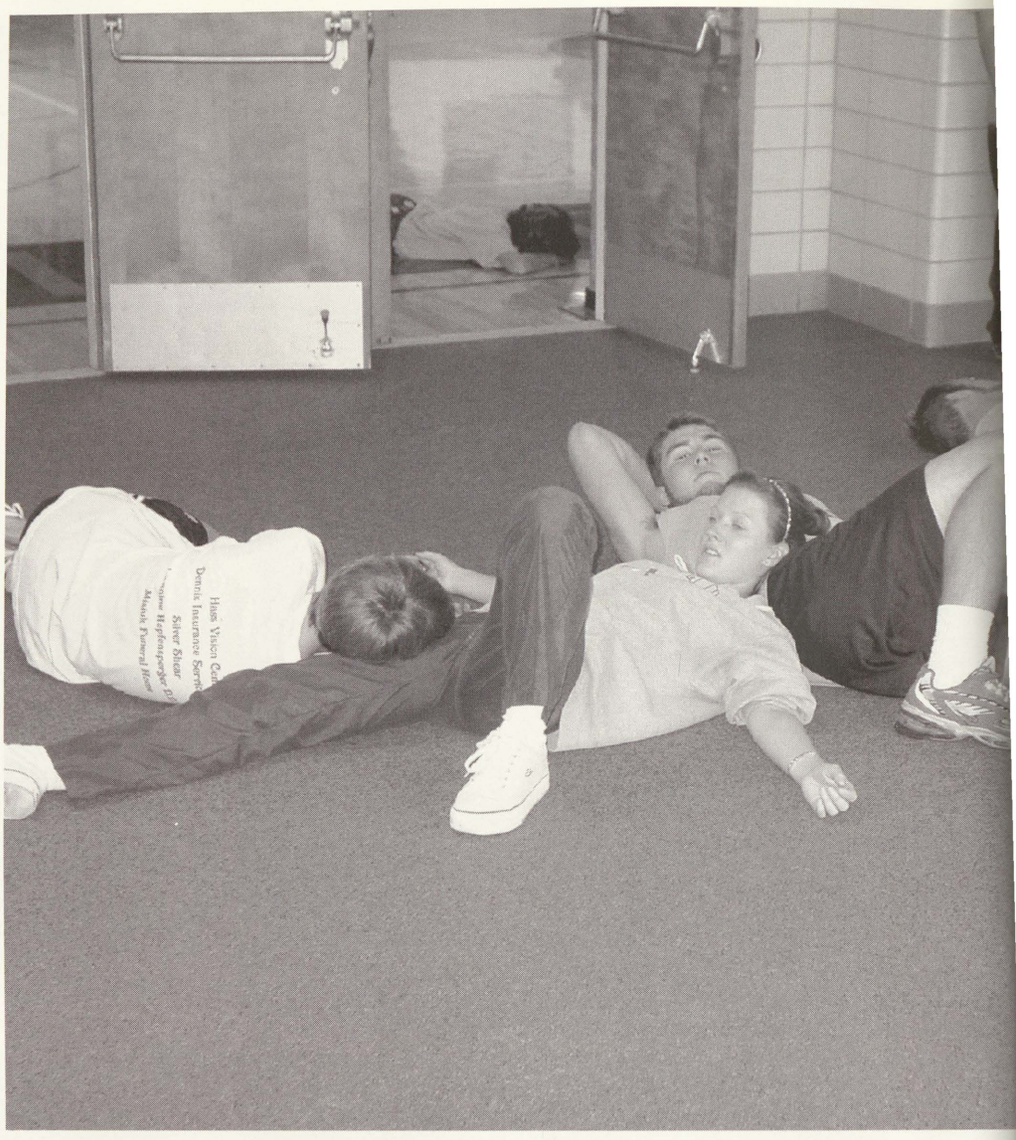

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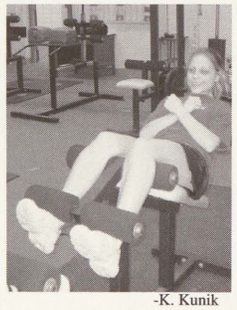
Q How many gym classes have you taken throughout high school?

"I've taken three gym classes all together. I really like gym class because it's fun."

-Chris Barancik



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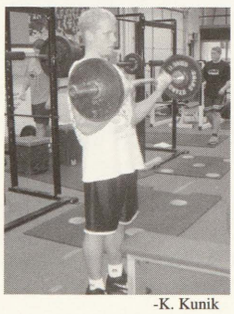
Q Did you lose any weight while taking physical fitness class?

"I think that I've lost about 5 pounds since the beginning of this class."

-Andy Thiel



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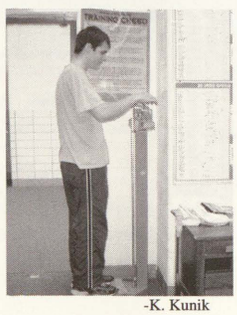
Q How many times a week do you have to do crunches?

"Our class does crunches every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Crunches are done on weight lifting days."

-Melissa Gengler



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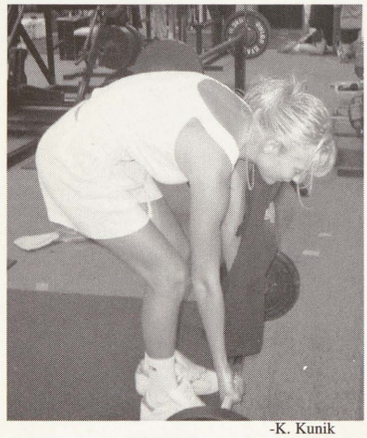

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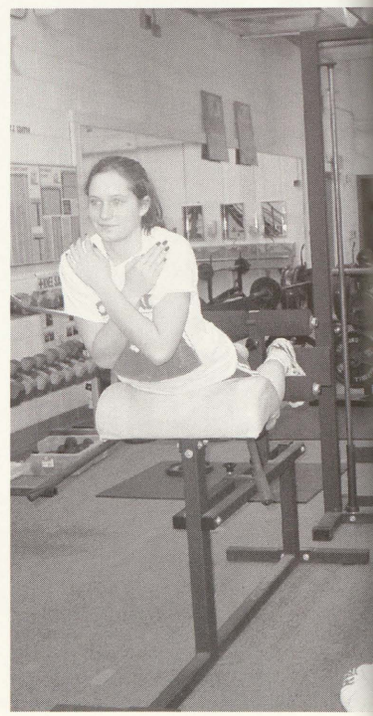
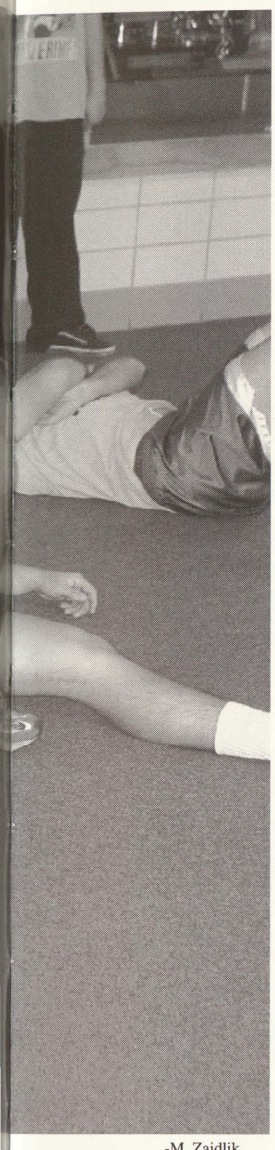
Iron Arms. April Carstensen is demonstrating the dead lift during physical fitness class. Good form is important when doing this dead lift.

Buns of Steel. Patricia King and Jessica Reed work their glutes during physical fitness class. "This exercise is difficult to do many times in a row," said Patricia.





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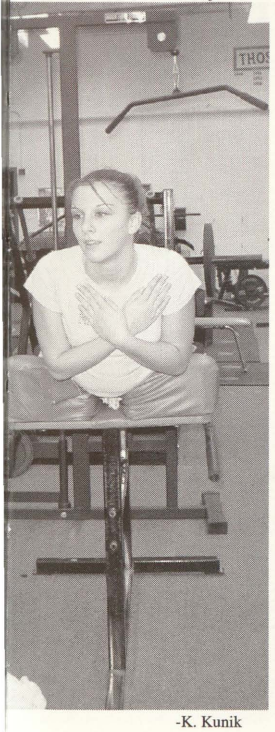

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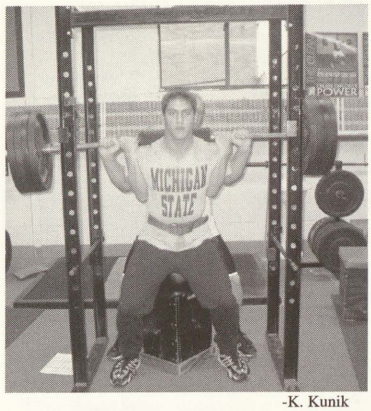

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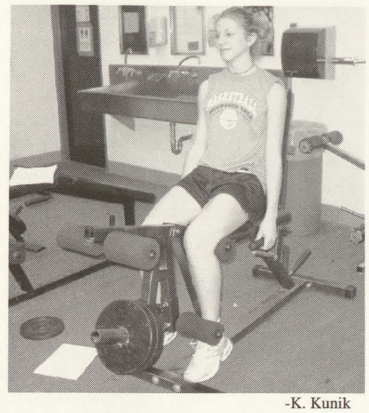
Pop a Squat. Jason Strachota lifts weights in his gym class. This particular lift if called the box squat, which helps to develop strong quad muscles. Jason and his sister Meghan have the same gym class together.

Did I Mention Leg Extensions? Meghan Strachota does leg extensions during her first high school gym class. "I really like this class because I get to look at all of the hot guys," said Meghan.



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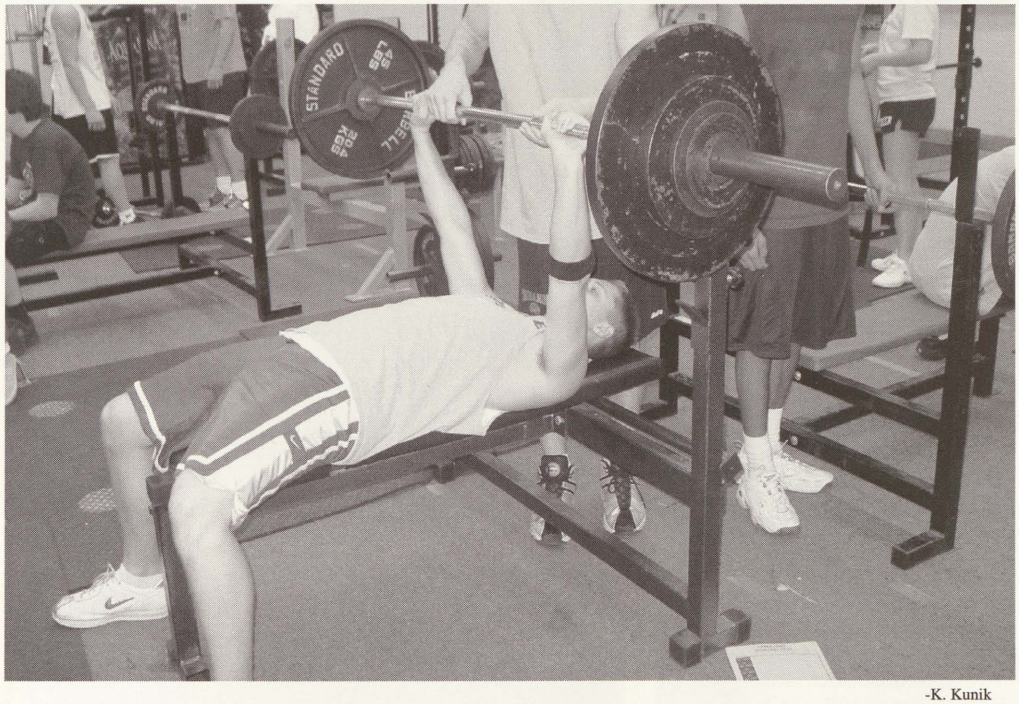
Carryover sports, competitive sports conditioning, team sports, physical fitness and swimming classes all scream...

Let's Get Physical

Gym class is one that is required here at CHS. Many students like this class because it gives them a chance to move around, play games and get buff. Others consider it a challenging class.



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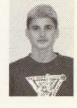
-A. Odenbaugh

Benchin' Baryo. Tracey Baryo bench presses during Physical Fitness class. " I like this class because it gets me in better shape and it's more fun than sitting in class," said Tracey.

Double Time. A group of girls workout to Billy Blake's Tae-Bo video during their 3rd block gym class. Aerobic activities are performed each day.



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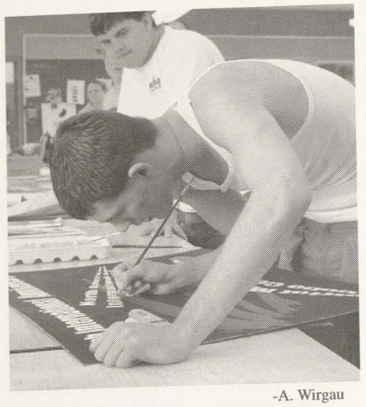
A Work of Art. Kyle Robinette shows off his picture that he drew in art class. "I like drawing," said Kyle. "This is a picture of me."

Coloring Contest. Adam English works on a poster for the Detroit Auto Show Contest during Art For You. The grand prize winner gets $1,000. "I don't know if I won yet, but even if I don't win first place, there are many other prizes that I could win," said Adam.



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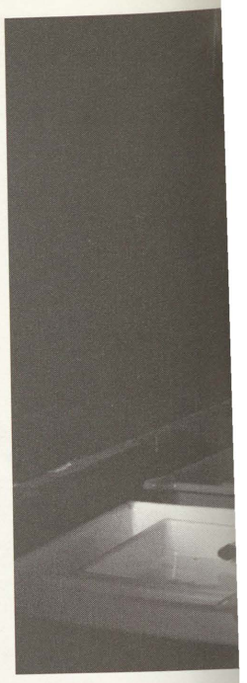


Priceless or Pricey?

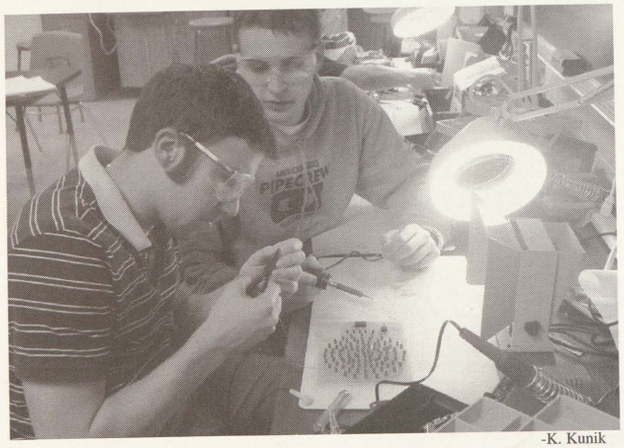
A lot of classes at CHS require learning with a price. Although some of these costs are a hassle, most students agree that learning is priceless.

Derek Milbrandt

-A. Wirgau

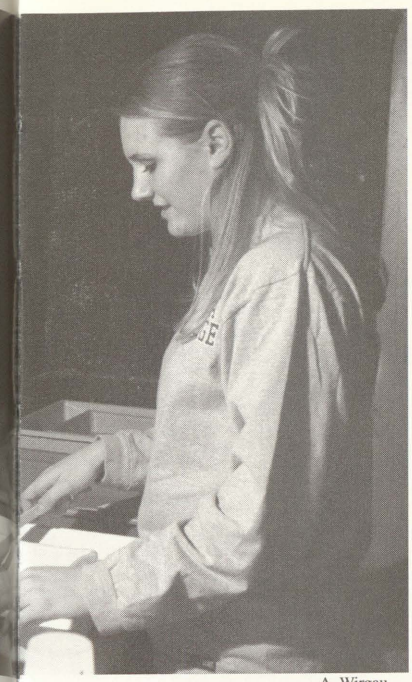
Artist Aboard. Anita Holden paints an Indian head for the wrestling room at the middle school. "I think that cost of art classes at our school is pretty trivial to what you learn from the class and the experience that you get out of it," said Anita.

Shocking Information. Chris Breiler and Michael Meyer are building a Fantastic Exploding Star in Electricity class. "Electricity can be expensive if you're not careful about the number of projects that you purchase," said Chris. Electricity class requires a fee of $10, but you can spend as much as you want to on extra projects.



-K. Kunik

Patch Work Life. Jessie Stewart poses in front of her homemade quilt. "For my in-depth project in ALM I made a scrapbook quilt that has pictures of everything that I've done throughout my life," said Jessie.



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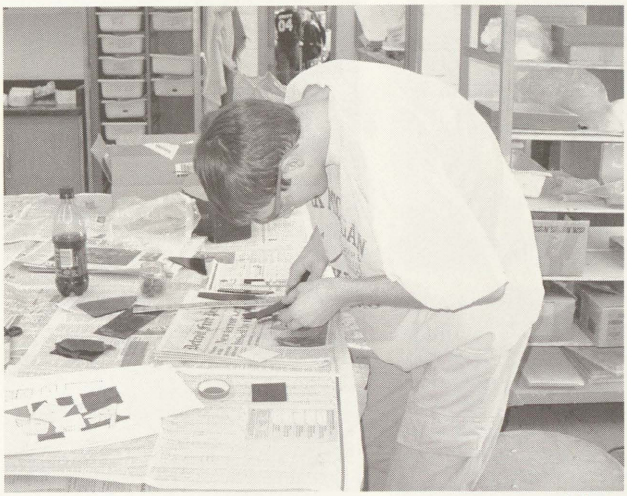
Dark Room Duty. Jori Pacek developa film during Independent Art class. "A lady from Hicks studio in Corunna came to school to teach me more about photography," said Jori.



-J. Shaw

Sharp Glass. Joe Stroup cuts glass in Craft class to make a stained glass window. "My favorite art class was 3-D Art because I liked the types of projects that we did," said Joe.

Pottery Wheelin'. Dave Emmendorfer makes a face for his slab pot in Craft class. "I like art class the most because you can have more fun and it's really relaxed, even though there is a fee," said Dave.

-A. Wirgau

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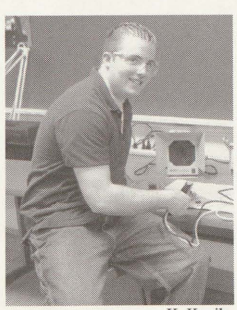
·····Class Price List·····

Class	Cost
Art For You	$10/Trimester $24/All Year
Art II	$15
Advanced Printmaking	$20
Advanced Painting	$20
Advanced Design	$15/20
Crafts	$25
Electricity	$10 and up
ALM	$75 and up

*Face*FAQs

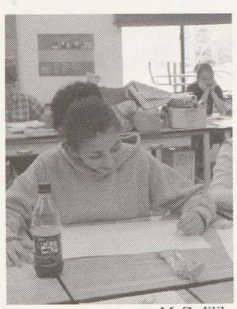
Was it Worth the Cost?



-K. Kunik

"Oh yeah. Electricity gives you an opportunity to learn how to do different types of projects."

-Jacob Righi



-M. Zadjlik

"I think that the price you pay to be in Art For You is reasonable because of all the supplies you get to use."

-Shatha Zuraigat

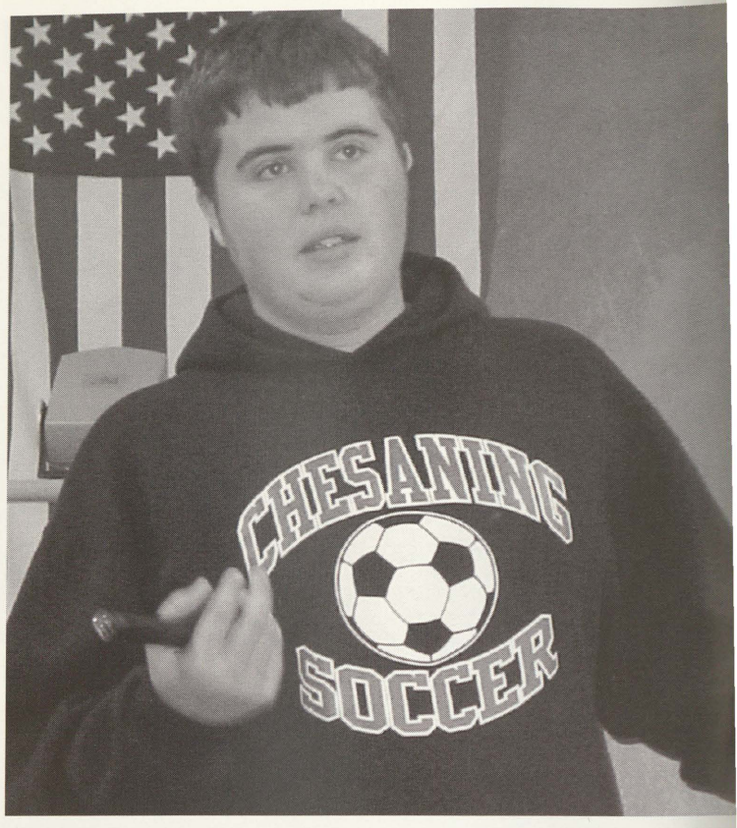
-M. Zadjlik

"Eminent Day was worth it because my final project looked great and I had a lot of information."

-Mary Hughes

Proof This. Kayla Haughton sophomore explains her math problem to the class. "Advanced Algebra II is hard to understand. I would rather speak in front of the class than do book work."

-A. Wirgau

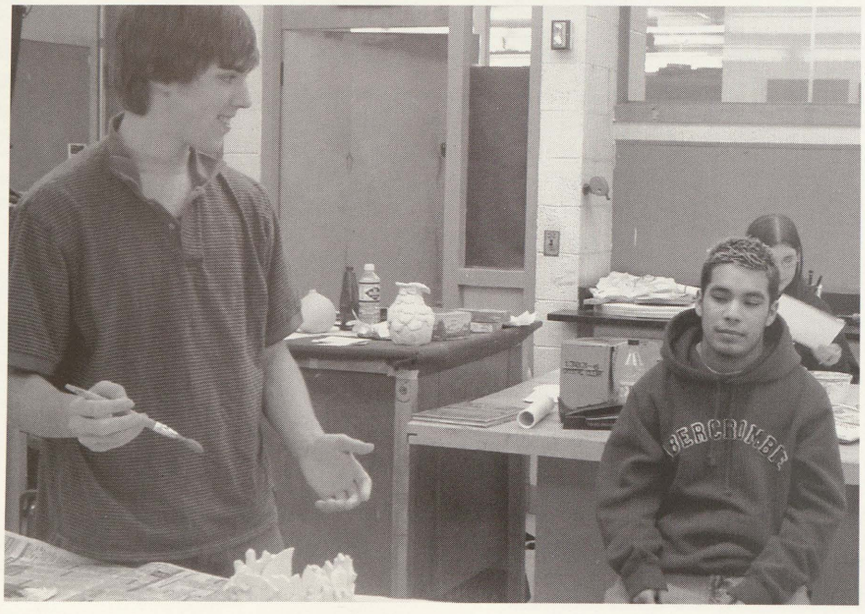


Brandon Chrysler

Of All The Nerve

In every class it is almost a given that students will eventually have to present something to the class. For some people this is a simple task, but for others it is their worst nightmare. There are many classes in which speaking in front of people is a big part of the grade.

Oops! I did it again. Junior Matt Thompson presents his clay pot that is in the shape of a plant. He describes how he had to sculpt the clay. "When I was carrying it over to the table one of the leaves fell off the design," explains Matt.



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Lights, Camera, Action. For Tom Ebenhoeh speaking in front of people is an easy task. The final presentation in the ALM class was to speak about his project, which was making a movie.

Eyes Wide Shut. For junior Julie George and sophomore Allison Alexander their last presentation was a memorable one. "After we put make up on Carly Selleck and Anna Brown, Tom Ebenhoeh got a hold of the make up and decided to have some fun with it," says Julie.

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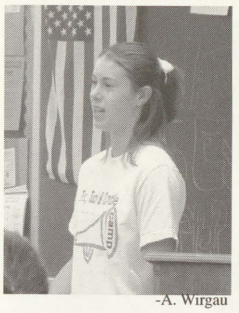

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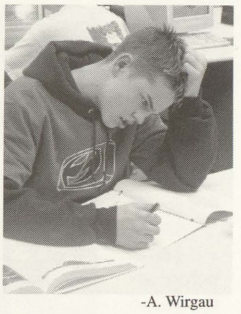
Do you think speaking in front of people is hard?

"Yes, I always get scared I will say something stupid and people will make fun of me. But it's not so bad after I am finished."

-Lyndsay Gross

"I don't get nervous because I like to picture people naked. It keeps me at ease."

- Mark Roebuck



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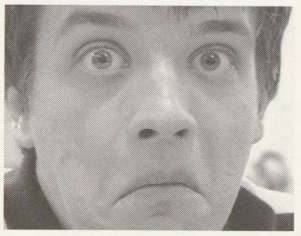
"I like to speak in front of people. I especially like all the attention."

-Ryan Timlick



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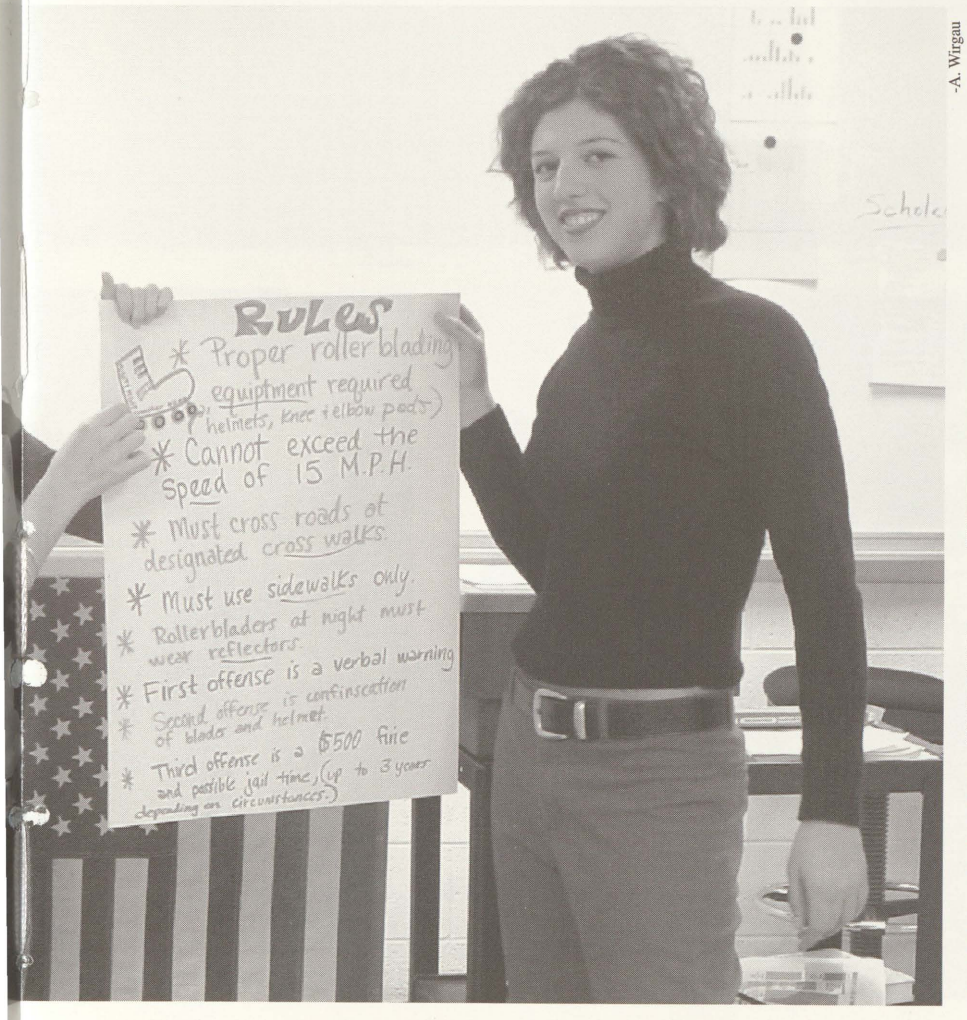

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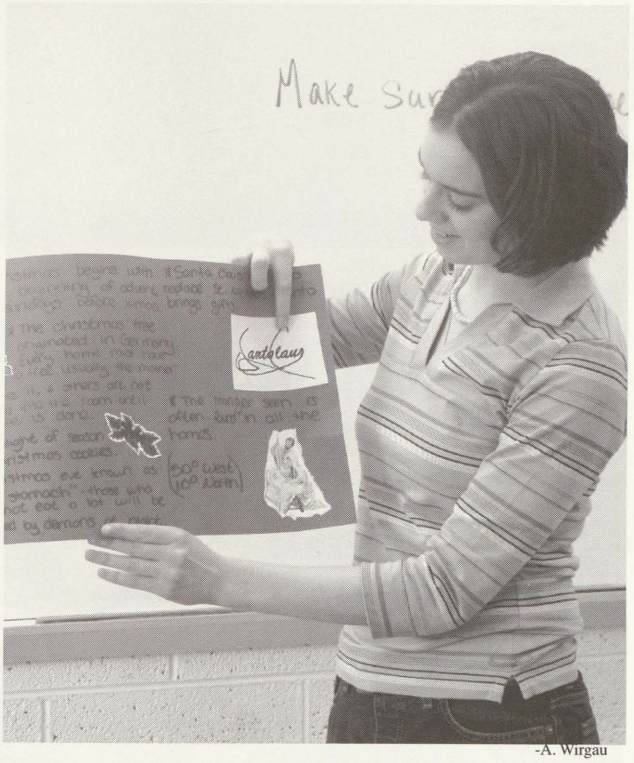

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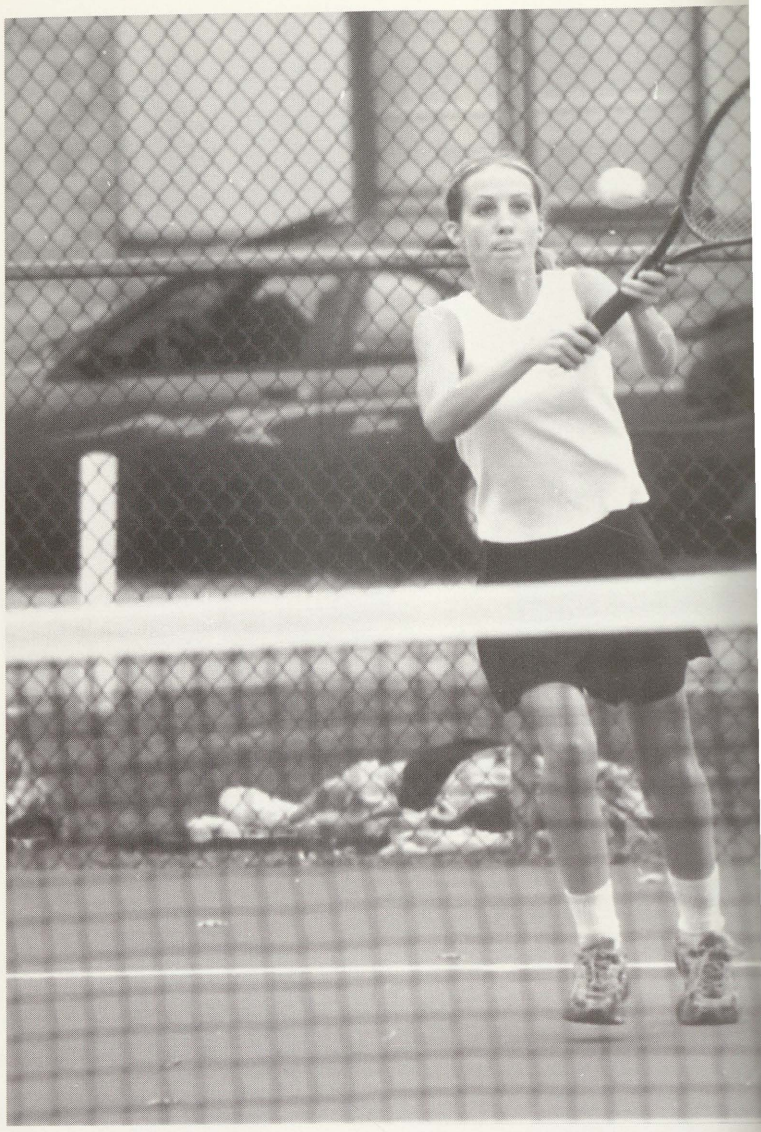
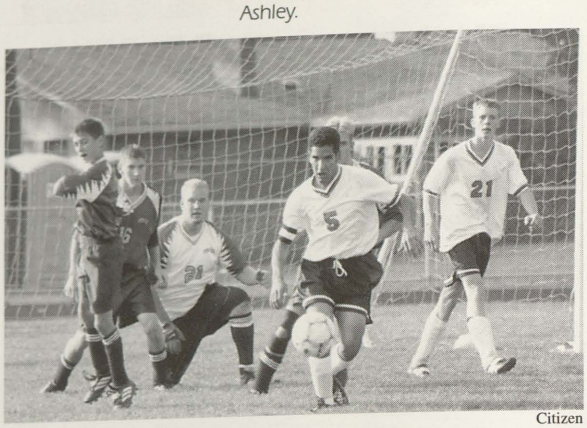
Nerves... check...Sweaty palms... check... Butterflies...CHECK!
Jodie Lary, sophomore, completes her project for World Cultures, explaining to the class how she did each aspect of her poster. Jodie says, "I hate getting up in front of people and speaking."

It Takes Two, Baby, Me And You. Seniors Cara Wendling and Jessie Platt share with the class their presentation about the laws of rollerblading.

Slammin' superstar. Ashley Neumeyer goes for the backhand during a tennis match against Hemlock. "I like tennis because it is very challenging and all my friends play," said Ashley.



Here he comes! David Emmendorfer narrowly gets the ball away just in time before an Ovid-Elsie opponent could score.



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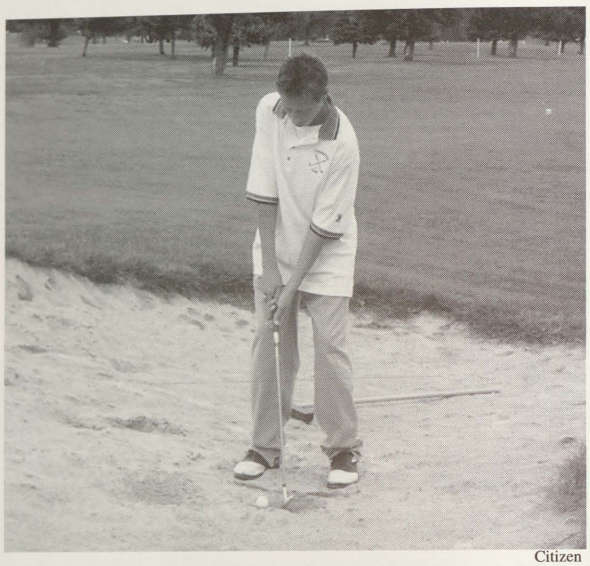
Sandtrap. Adam Bolf gets stuck in the sand during a golf tournament. "I enjoy golf. It is fun and there are cool people, but I get bad scores," said Adam.



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Dustin Savage

PERSONAL VALUES

MATT FERRY

"I value my friends and the fun times we have had during high school. I also value Paul Bissonette," said Matt Ferry regarding what he values in life.

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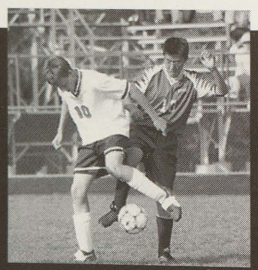

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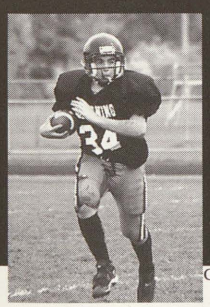

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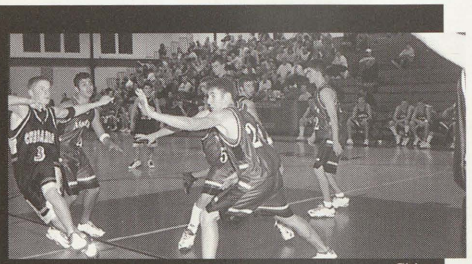

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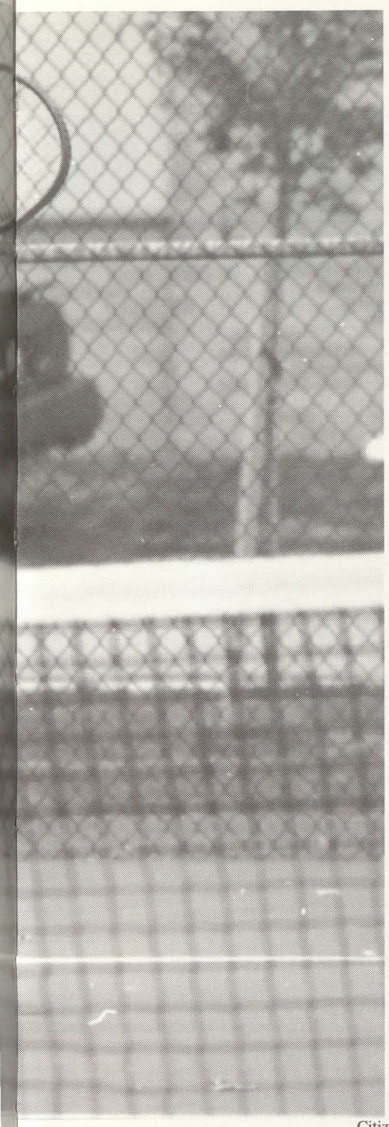
THE VALUE OF ATHLETICS



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Cost of a ticket to a sporting event...$4.00

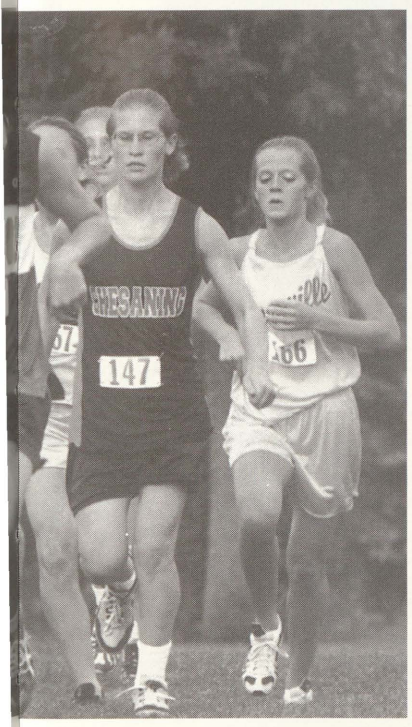
Cost of wrestling shoes...$50.00

Cost of golf equipment...$1,000.00

Athletics become a part of all high school students' lives. Some students participate and others enjoy watching. The events we attend and play become a part of who we are. Memories and friendships are created that will last a lifetime. Sports provide a physical challenge for those who participate and an entertaining spectacle for those who watch.

The value of athletics that become a part of who we are...Priceless

Ray Mitchell



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Runnin' with the pack. Carrie Hudecek competes in the Cross Country Invitational held at Showboat Park. "I was happy because I was the only girl who got really good times. I enjoy cross country because we get to run on the grass and through the woods," said Carrie.

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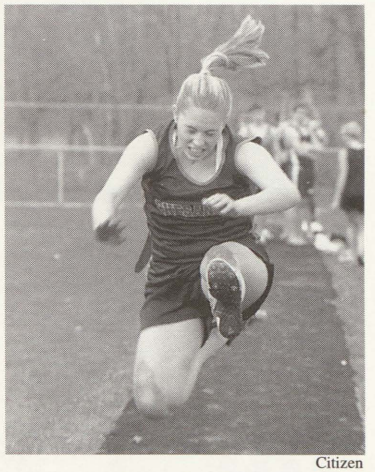
Get in the huddle. Jessica Zajdlik, Nicole Vietti and Kayla Haughton get a lecture from Coach Morris during a softball tournament. "It was so funny when a ball bounced up and hit Halee McDougall and almost broke her nose. We had a pretty good season and had a lot of fun," said Kayla.



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Leapin' lizards! Hollie Wendling competes in the Long Jump Field Event for track. "The long jump has always been my favorite field event because everyone knows I fly like an eagle," said Hollie.

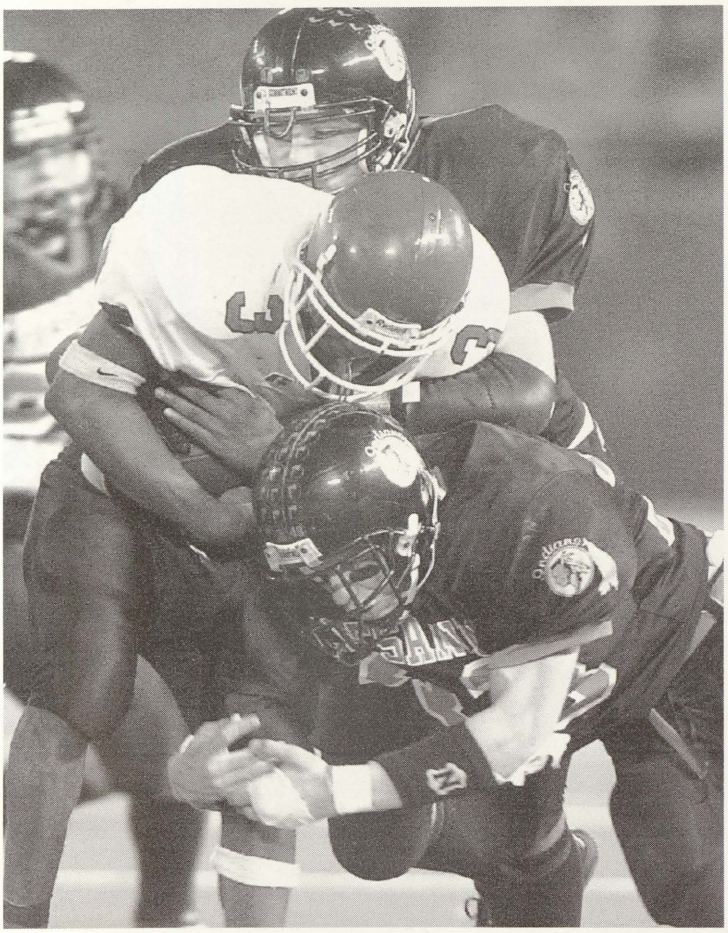
We Are the Champions

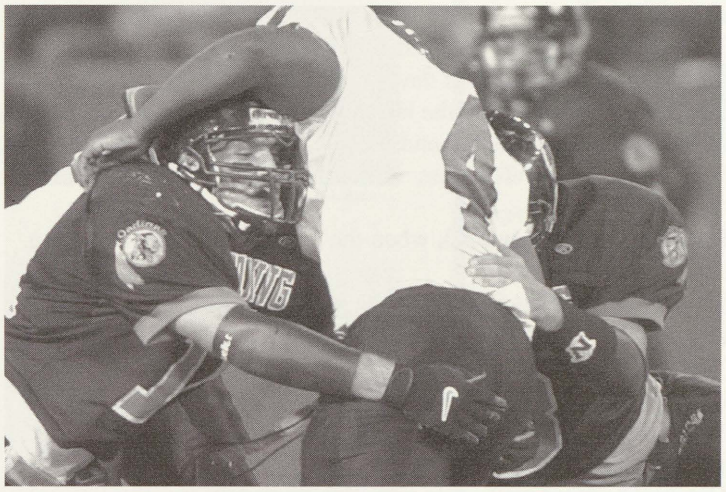
2001 Division 4 Class B

Shawn Kulhanek

Chesaning 14

Orchard Lake 7





The Indians won their second state championship in the past four years this season. The Tribe defeated Orchard Lake St. Mary's, who had won the previous 2 Division 4 state titles. Orchard Lake was also the team that ended the Tribe's season in 1999 with a 28-23 defeat of the Indians. Seniors who remembered the game with Orchard Lake wanted revenge, and revenge is what they obtained. The Indians defeated the Eaglets 14-7 in dramatic fashion.

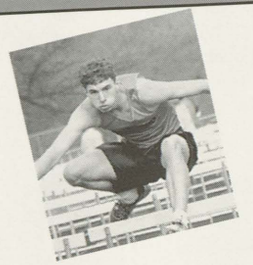
The two teams were in a defensive battle late into the fourth quarter until one play changed the course of the entire game. With only a 1:39 left in the ball game Orchard Lake was set to punt the ball. Indian wideouts Matt Ferry and Tyler Alden were back to receive the ball. Ferry caught a line drive punt and returned 66 yards for a touchdown. The punt sent the crowd into an absolute frenzy. Every fan who had traveled to the Pontiac Silverdome to root for the Indians was on their feet screaming as the Tribe took the lead for the first time. Ferry's run would be the eventual game winning score. It was the only time during the season that any Indian returned a punt for a touchdown. The timing was perfect. With just a minute and some to play in the game all the Indians had to do was hold the Eaglets' offense and they would be crowned Division 4 state champions.

The Indian defense did not let its team down. Paul Tithof forced an Eaglet player to fumble, and Brent Conklin recovered the ball to clinch the game. Tithof not only forced the game sealing fumble, but he also racked up 19 tackles. Seniors Jason Croucher and Conklin helped Tithof lead the defense. Croucher had 4 solo tackles and 5 assists. Conklin added 7 solo tackles, 3 assists, 2 tackles for a loss, and a sack to go along with his fumble recovery. Senior RB/DB Chris Barancik also played a spectacular game, batting away 3 key passes and catching Bassham's 4 yard TD pass, which tied the game at 7. Bassham, who was voted the team's offensive player of the year, played a well-rounded ball game by throwing for 95 yards on 13 of 26 passing and adding 50 yards on the ground. Tyler Alden led the team in receiving with 5 catches for 25 yards and Matt Ferry hauled in 3 passes for 37 yards.

"To win the state championship was a dream come true," said Paul Tithof.

-Zac Alden

One Step Ahead



The boys' track team suffered a long season without last year's senior class.

The Indians had many inexperienced runners and as a result finished with a 2-7 league record, 3-8 overall. The Tribe's 2-7 league mark left them in fourth place.

Coach Guzy's Indians finished fifth at regionals and Paul Tithof tied for 6th in the high jump at the State Meet. Tithof also was voted the team's MVP and received the Hobson Award. Steve Hunt won the team's Most Improved Runner and Brent Conklin was considered the team's Most Improved Thrower. Mitch Bell took home the team's Rookie Award.

"I had the most fun in track when the team had barbeques during practice," said Tithof.

The girls' track team finished in the middle of the pack. The lady Indians recorded a 3-6 conference record and a 4-7 overall mark. The girls' conference record was good enough to take third place. Jessie Reed had a good season, Anndee Gross and Cassie Reiber came on strong, and Jessie Stewart had a lot of good meets, according to Coach Hemgesberg.

Brent Conklin

"Our season went well. We moved a lot of people up, including freshmen. Everyone ran well, I was pleased with the season as a whole," said Hemgesberg.

Throughout the season the girls were very dedicated, said Hemgesberg. "I remember when Courtney Kunik was pole vaulting. The poll bar ended up hitting her in the eye and gave her a black eye, but she got up and kept pole vaulting. I also recall when Hollie Wendling tripped over a hurdle and almost broke her wrist. She got up and took second place regardless of her fall. They were really tough girls," explained Hemgesberg.

The girls' track team did not only endure injuries but gloomy weather as well. "At the St. Louis relay it poured outside. We had a tent, but the wind ripped it and we were soaked," said Jessie Stewart.

-Zac Alden

"Track was quite a bit of running and it was hard work."

-Brent Bassham

"Track really kept me in good shape and was a great experience."

-Paul Tithof

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UP AND OVER. Junior Jori Pacek clears her jump to give her another chance at doing better. "The 800- meter run was my favorite run because it was one of the shorter long distance runs," said Jori.

GO CHRIS GO! Junior Chris Barancik gives it his all as he pushes himself just a little bit more for the ending. "I enjoyed track because it got us out of school," commented Chris.

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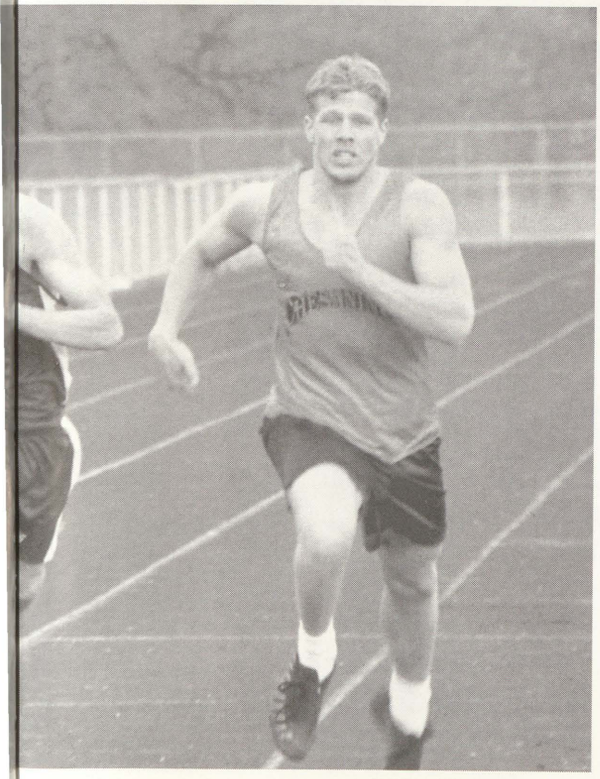

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ON THE RISE. Sophomore Amanda Wirgau and freshman Lyndsay Gross clear the hurdles as they race for the finish line. "I had more experience for hurdles this year so it made it easier on me," commented Amanda.

Boys' Track. *Front:* Mitch Bell, Joshua Beckman, Michael Peterson, Edward Yaklin, Blake Cottrill, A.J. Guerro, Nick Strachota, Paul Tithof, Steve Hunt, Preston Overholt. *Row 2:* Brent Conklin, Chris Barancik, Scott Withers, Brent Bassham, Matthew Brown, Adam English, Coach Tithof. *Back:* Coach Guzy, Coach McGough, Aaron Tomac, Brent Haney, Randy Coole, Nic Weigold, Gordon McKinnon, Jacob Henige, Steve Korf, Dan Reed, Coach Yates.

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Girls' Track. *Front:* Kasey Strait, Carly Selleck, Courtney Kunik, Cassie Reiber, Hollie Wendling, Lyndsay Gross, Tiffany Witt. *Row 2:* Melissa Bitterman, Jori Pacek, Anndee Gross, Julie Malcom, Amanda Wirgau, Jessie Stewart, Jenny Anderson. *Back:* Coach Hemgesberg, Coach, Amanda Mikulka, Jessie Reed, Crystal Gross, Janelle Lucio, Coach McNeil.

"We have a baton for our relays that we call 'the Blazer.' It's sacred."

-Cassie Reiber

Boys' Track

Nouvel	91-100
St. Charles	91-37
Durand	89-63
St. Johns	78-73
Greenville	42-120
St. Louis Relay	6th
Owosso	52-100
Alma	65-98
Corunna Relay	6th
Ionia	76-87
Ovid-Elsie	69.5-90.5
Mt. Pleasant	65-94
Hemlock Inv.	4th
Corunna	52-111
Regionals	5th
Conference	4th
Record	**3-8**
MMC	**2-7**

Girls' Track

Nouvel	107-107
Durand	113-34
St. Johns	69.5-82.5
Greenville	74-87
St. Louis Relay	8th
Owosso	68-79
Alma	73-83
Corunna Relay	3rd
Ionia	85-74
Ovid-Elsie	85-73
Mt. Pleasant	43.5-119.5
Hemlock Inv.	5th
Corunna	52.5-99.5
Regionals	7th
Conference	3rd
.Record	**3-6-1**
MMC	**3-5**

Young Stars

The JV Indian Softball team had a strong season, although the ladies in their last few ballgames struggled.

The team finished with a 15-14 overall record, despite losing 5 of their last 6 games. Jessica Zajdilik and Kayla Haughton led the team's offense knocking in 29 and 24 runs on the season, respectively. Kayla was also the team's most valuable pitcher, winning 11 games with a 4.85 ERA and 71 strikeouts. Lindsay Higgins led the team with a whopping .444 batting average. Halee McDougall and Jessica Harris each batted .372 for the Indians.

The Tribe had some impressive victories throughout the season, including sweeping conference rivals Alma 12-4, 19-3, and Ovid-Elsie 12-6, 15-5. The young Indians did not only win games, but had some fun as well.

"I was playing catch with Halee McDougall and I had a bad throw. The ball bounced up and bumped Halee right in the nose," recalled Becki Card.

"I'd have to say the funniest moment during the season was when Becca Gengler tripped over home plate," said Kristi Bitterman.

After the games the girls usually stopped somewhere for a bite to eat. The lady Tribe's restaurant of choice was definitely Wendy's, said the majority of the team.

"On the way home from one of our games the team stopped at Wendy's, and everyone ordered a Frosty. We eventually started a huge food fight and there was ice cream all over the bus. Our bus rides were a lot of fun," said Kayla Haughton.

*The JV Indian Baseball team showed a great deal of promise throughout the season. The Tribe defeated every team in the Mid-Michigan B part of the conference at least once. No contest was more dramatic then the first game against the Alma Panthers. The game was knotted at 3-3 until Shawn Plonsky hit a game tying 3-run homer in the final inning of play. The Indians eventually beat the Panters 6-3 in extra innings.

"It was a lot of fun to hit home runs. I'm pretty proud of myself for leading the team with 3 dingers," said Plonsky and added, "I would have had a couple more if New Lothrop's field had a fence and if the umpires could determine a fair ball."

Another interesting game for the JV Tribe came against Ithaca. The score of the game was 31-25! The game lasted so long that the two teams did not have enough time to start the second game of the doubleheader.

-Zac Alden

Ashley Neumeyer

DOWN & READY. Becky Card waits at third base for any on-coming line drives. Becky said, "Softball practice was fun because we always goofed around."

J.V. SOFTBALL. *Front:* Halee McDougall, Kayla Haughton, Andrea Karpuk, Jenna Righi, Jenny Aldrich, Jennifer Smith, Lindsay Higgins. *Back:* Coach Morris, Jessica Zajdlik, Nicole Vietti, Kristi Bitterman, Brandi Bitterman, Jessica Harris, Kaye Bitterman, Becky Card.

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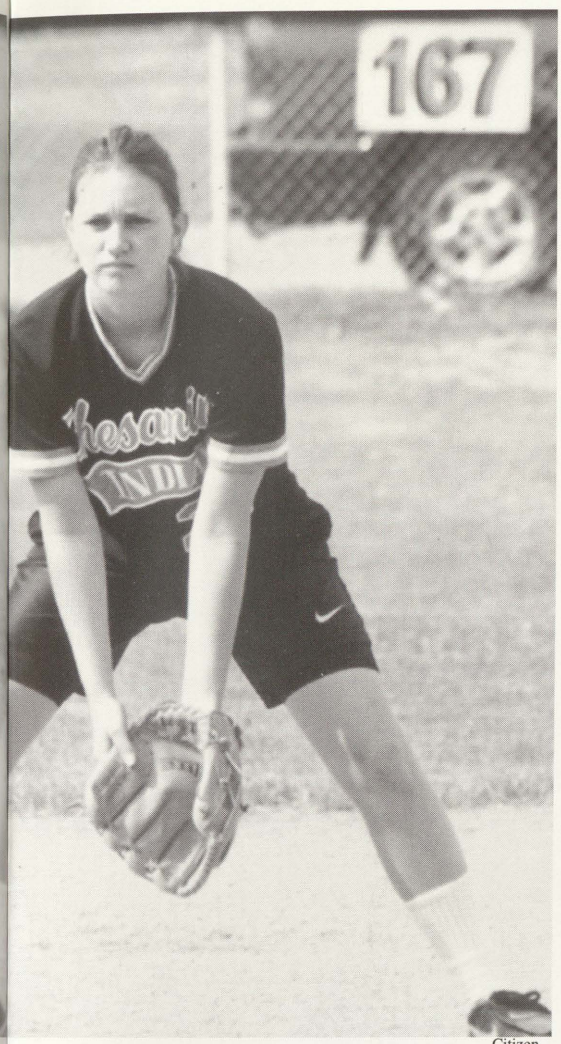
BRINGIN' THE HEAT! Matt Breier, the teams top pitcher, fires on at the plate. "I think we proved that we could play with any team in the league this season," said Matt.

PREPARED FOR ANYTHING. Catcher Kristi Bitterman tags her opponent out while trying to slide home. "Softball was fun because we always got to be outside," commented Kristi.



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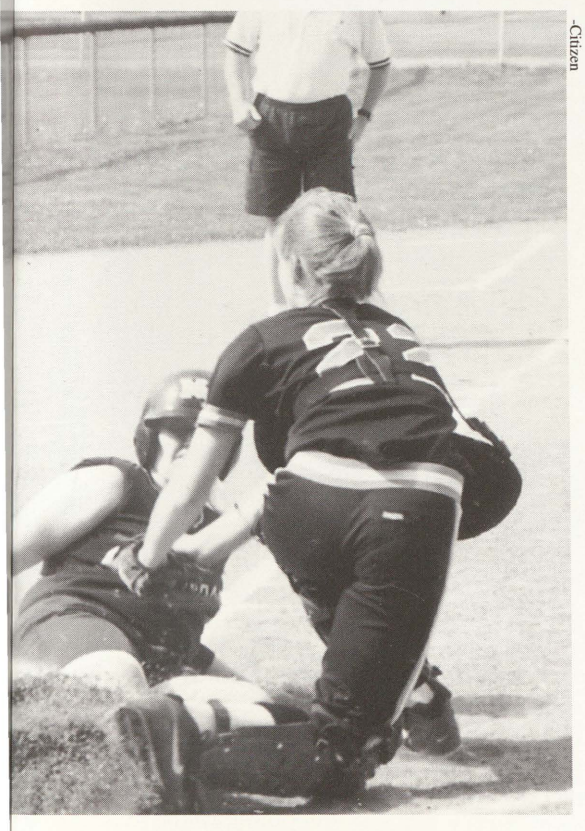

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J.V. BASEBALL. *Front:* Jarod Hughes, Trevor Lorencz, Craig Weisenberger, Shawn Plonsky, Esteban Escamilla, Chad Newton, Travis Woods. *Back:* Coach Gerken, Mark Jungerheld, Jacob Smith, Kyle Hollenback, Zachary Colston, Matt Breier, Shane Morse.

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STRIKE THREE! YOU'RE OUT. Kayla Haughton brings the heat against her opponents at bat. "I got to pitch most of the season because all of our other pitchers were moved up to varsity," commented Kayla.

"The water fights on the way home were awful."

-Jenna Righi

J.V . Baseball

Bridgeport	6-1	7-5
St. Charles	11-9	8-15
Ithaca	31-25	
Durand	3-1	9-13
St. Johns	5-14	4-15
Greenville	0-9	10-3
New Lothrop	8-3	
Ithaca	10-5	
Owosso	11-22	
Alma	6-3	5-8
Ionia	7-9	
Ovid-Elsie	6-3	13-8
Mt. Pleasant	0-13	2-10
Corunna	4-3	13-3
Carson City	6-1	8-1
Record	**15-10**	

J.V. Softball

Bridgeport	13-7	6-7
St. Charles	19-4	23-13
Montrose	4-9	11-7
Ithaca	17-13	20-0
Durand	10-12	4-5
Greenville	20-18	15-14
New Lothrop	8-6	
Ithaca	6-7	
Owosso	1-11	2-13
St. Johns	8-4	10-16
Alma	12-4	19-3
Ionia	15-16	
Ovid-Elsie	12-6	15-5
Mt. Pleasant	0-19	0-19
Corunna	5-10	1-7
Carson City	9-10	7-4
Record		**15-14**

Varsity Softball

Bridgeport	8-0	11-3
St. Charles	1-3	14-3
Montrose	3-16	1-11
Ithaca	0-3	1-12
Durand	3-5	6-0
St. Johns	1-10	3-2
Greenville	3-4	8-9
New Lothrop	8-9	
Laingsburg	15-0	
Owosso	0-11	2-11
Alma	0-16	4-14
Ionia	0-4	8-9
Ovid-Elsie	17-4	4-0
Mt. Pleasant	0-5	4-5
Corunna	1-11	7-21
Nouvel	1-4	
Fulton	7-6	
Bridgeport	9-1	
Carson City	6-3	4-3
New Lothrop	10-0	
Lakeville	0-9	
Record		**14-21**
MMC		**4-14**

Adam Joyce

WATCH OUT! Indians top pitcher, Jolene Lary gives it her all as she sends her fast ball to the plate. Jolene said, "I enjoyed playing this year, and I had a very memorable season."

VARSITY SOFTBALL. *Front:* Nicole Zervan, Raquel Benavidez, Jolene Lary, Michelle Zajdlik, Mary Hughes, Holly Garno. *Row 2:* Coach Scanlon, Karolyn Hemker, Mary Morris, Ashley Harris, Rebecca Gengler, Jodie Lary, Chelsey Giesken, Melissa Hemgesberg. *Back:* Coach Johnson, Coach Vondrasek

-J. Shaw

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CATCH THIS. First baseman, Melissa Hemgesberg, completes the out at first. "We did much worse than what we were supposed to this season," said Melissa.

NOW LISTEN TO ME! Coach Scanlon gives Michelle Zajdlik a quick tip at first base after getting a base hit. "We had a really young team, we improved a lot during the season, and ended pretty strong," commented Michelle.

COACH'S CORNER

Varsity Softball Head Coach Wayne Scanlon had what he called, "a learning year." He commented, "You would think with our record that it was a down year. It was a learning year. We had only three seniors and two of them were playing new positions. At the end of the year we were starting three freshmen and two sophomores.

We won our last five regular season games. We were a very much "Together Team" all year and we look forward to the coming year. Quite frankly we look forward to working hard and for continued improvement, and once again be a team.

Our seniors that graduated will be missed dearly: Raquel Benavidez, Jolene Lary, and Nicole Zervan. Also, my assistant coaches Don Vondrasek, Dan Johnson and Chris Morris do a great job."

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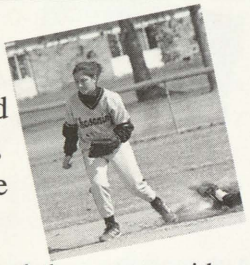
Slug It Out



The Varsity Softball team went through a lot of ups and downs this past season, but fought tough till the end.

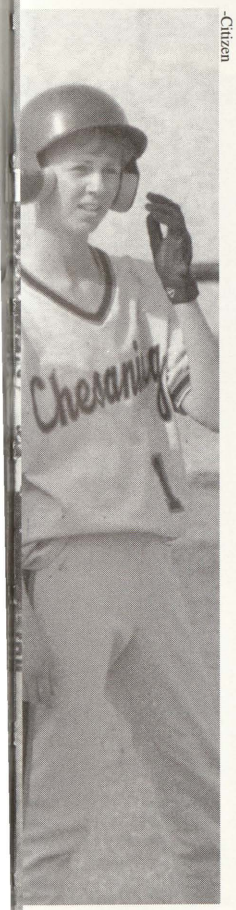
The lady Indians finished the season with an overall record of 14-21. The Indians did struggle in their league play though, finishing with a 4-14 record.

One memorable game for the lady Indians is the Montrose game. The Indians did struggle against the Rams, losing 3-16 and 1-11, but Michelle Zajdlik made the entire team laugh. Before the game began, Coach Scanlon told the team to not worry about the outfield fence since it was easily collapsible. Well Michelle was the crash test dummy to show that it was true. She commented, "We were playing at Montrose and I was in center field. A fly ball was hit to me and I backed up to catch it. I ran right into the fence and tore it down the middle. I fell on my face!"

Even though the Indians did have a tough season, they were still in good spirits. The entire team kept high hopes even though they weren't winning as much as they would've liked. Coach Scanlon added, "These were great kids to coach. They were all very nice girls and they were great workers with a very good attitude."

The MIP for the Indians were both Becca Gengler and Mary Morris. The team's MVP was Jolene Lary. Also, the only 1st All-District 1st Team All-Conference player was Karolyn Hemker. Jolene Lary and Raquel Benavidez both received Honorable Mention All district 2nd Team All Conference awards, and Nicole Zervan received 2nd Team All-Conference.

-Justin Birchmeier



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AND YOU'RE OUT! Shorstop Karolyn Hemker tags out the baserunner at second as she tries to get under the tag. "I had the most fun racing to the bus to every away game with Jodi Lary," said Karolyn.

"One time when we were racing to the bus, Karolyn tripped me and I scraped my knee."

-Jodie Lary

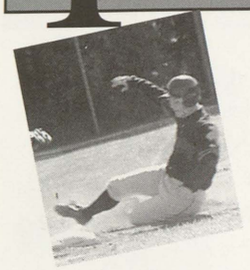
"We started off a little rocky at the beginning and then we ended off on a good note."

-Chelsey Giesken

"We once got to cookout with the St. John's team after a rain out, for one of our annual game cookouts."

-Mary Hughes

Turn Two



The Varsity Baseball team got off to a fast start, only to struggle through the rest of the year.

Although the season wasn't all bad, the Varsity Indians finished 10-19-1 overall. They managed to win the New Lothrop Invitational and finished runner up in the Tribe's own tournament.

"We had a lot of ups and downs during our season. We did all right considering we had to replace 5 all-conference players from last year's squad," said Coach Haist.

At New Lothrop, the Indians pulled out victories over the hosting Hornets and Ithaca.

"The New Lothrop Tournament was probably the best couple of games that we put together this season; almost everyone had a hit that day," said pitcher Adam Joyce. He added, "It's too bad we couldn't play like that all of the time."

Jessie Bates

In our home tournament the Indians drubbed the St. Charles Bulldogs before losing to Ithaca in the championship game.

"We played well defensively and Tyler Danek pitched a great game, but we just couldn't hit the ball," said outfielder Tyler Alden when asked about the game against Ithaca. Ithaca threw highly touted pitcher J.T. Jones against the Indians. Jones no hit the Tribe in the contest, as Ithaca avenged their loss against the Indians in New Lothrop's championship game with a 5-0 victory.

Along with a few tournament victories, this season had its share of funny moments. "I remember when last year senior, Adam Anderson, came to pitch to our team during batting practice while Zac Alden was behind the plate. Every time we take batting practice we have to lay down a few bunts before we take any swings. Zac warned me to make sure I laid down my bunts and not to tip the ball back at him because he had forgot to wear his cup. Three pitches later, I tipped a ball right back at Zac. I heard Zac yell out some obscenities as he rolled over in excruciating pain. Because Zac was okay, it was hilarious. He told me he would never risk catching without his 'protection' again," laughed first baseman Josh Gosselin.

-Zac Alden

-J. Shaw

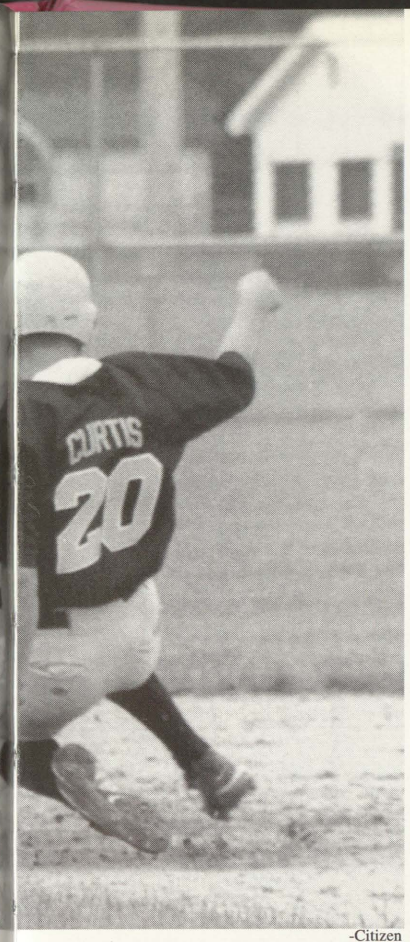
VARSITY BASEBALL. *Front:* Tyler Danek, Travis Haughton, Adam Joyce, Rich Price, Fred Priest, Zac Alden. *Back:* Coach Haist, Jeremy Wolverton, Brennan Neumeyer, Ed Sumbera, Ben Shook, Tyler Alden, Josh Gosselin

"I really enjoyed all the kids on the team. We had quite the fun time!"

-Rich Price

"I had a lot of fun, but perhaps too much fun, because in the end our record wasn't too pretty."

-Jeremy Wolverton



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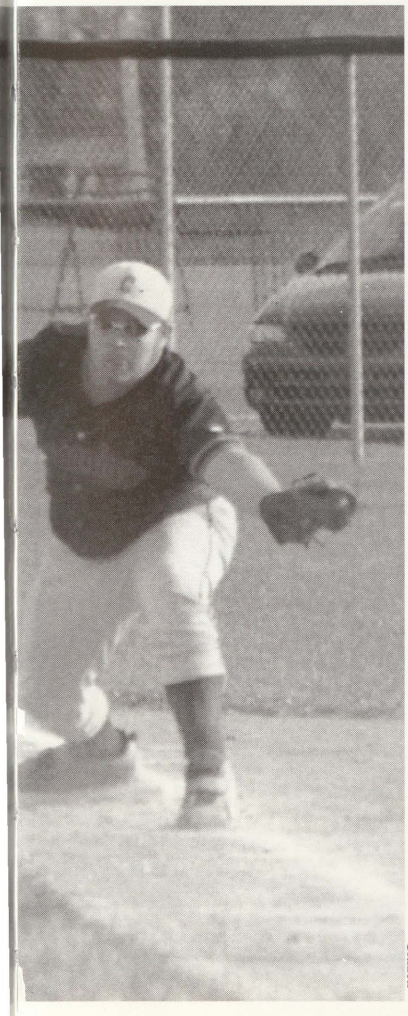
LET'S GET HIM! Second basemen Adam Joyce attempts to get the out at second as Matt Breier backs him up. "We had some good times in baseball, but we did not do as well as we should've," commented Adam.

WHOAH! Junior Zac Alden sneaks back to second as the catcher attempts to throw him out. "Baseball was tiring because I had to catch every inning, of every game," said Zac.

-Citizen

Bridgeport	3-0	5-5
St. Charles	14-4	5-4
Ithaca	7-6	1-7
Durand	5-6	5-6
Greenville	3-11	2-1
New Lothrop	9-4	
Ithaca	9-6	
Owosso	0-14	3-12
St. Johns	7-1	10-11
Alma	0-7	2-6
Ionia	1-3	9-19
Ovid-Elsie	1-2	6-3
Mt. Pleasant	3-14	5-15
Corunna	2-3	2-12
St. Charles	16-2	
Ithaca	0-5	
Carson City	7-5	6-5
Otisville-Lakeville	0-10	
Record	**10-20-1**	
MMC	**3-15**	



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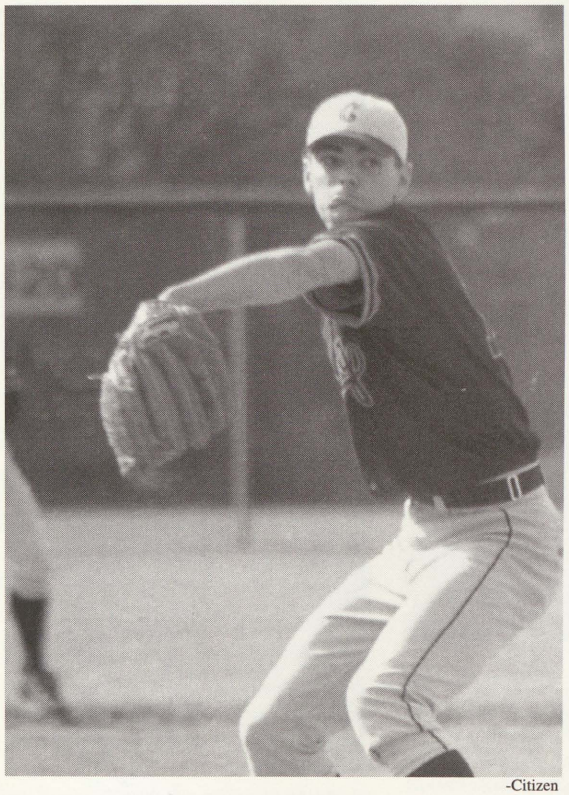

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AND HERE'S THE PITCH. Senior Fred Priest, the team's most frequent pitcher, winds up for the pitch. Fred commented, "I was really disappointed with our season this year and I was sad when it was all over."

BIG STRIDE. Josh Gosselin stretches for the out at first. "We had a rebuilding year while the younger players gained the experience needed," stated Josh.

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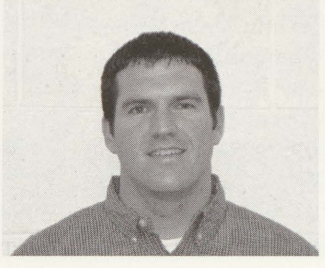
COACH'S CORNER



Varsity Baseball Head Coach Tim Haist went through a lot of ups and downs throughout the 2001 season. Even though the record did not show it, they had a very successful season. "We won the New Lothrop Tournament and finished second in the Chesaning Invitational," Haist said.

Many of the players on the 2001 Varsity Team were also on the 2000 team that won the Montrose Tournament and a Mid-Michigan Conference Championship.

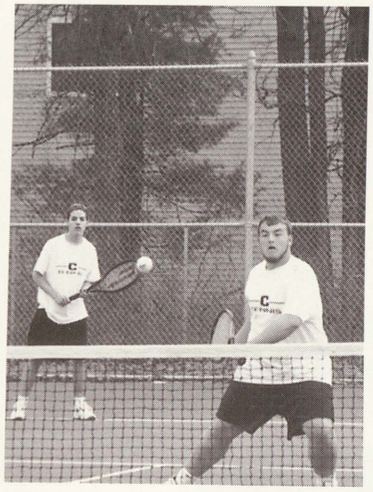
"Our players have been very successful the past couple of seasons, winning three championships, including a conference championship. There is definitely room for improvement, but I have been proud of the team's effort. Hopefully, we can continue to improve and compete for another conference championship in 2002," commented Haist.

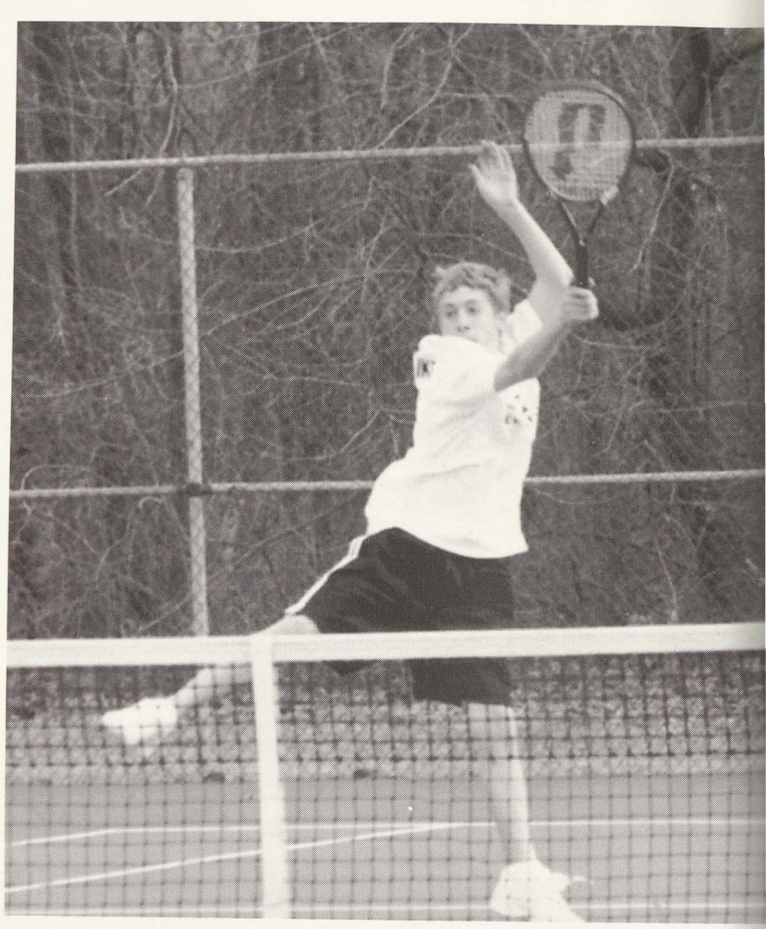
Tennis

Hemlock	8-0
Durand	8-0
St. Johns	3-5
Greenville	7-1
Owosso	6-2
Buchanon	2-6
Alma	8-0
Ithaca	8-0
Ionia	7-1
Garber	5-3
Ovid-Elsie	4-4
Nouvel	6-1
Mt. Pleasant	6-2
Corunna	7-1
Conference Tour.	1st
Regional Tour.	1st
State Tour.	16th
Record	**11-2-1**
MMC	**7-1-1**

Zac Colston

ATTACKING THE NET. Mark Karpuk heads for the net as Mark Gasper sits back for the return. Mark Gasper said, "Our biggest goal this year was to compete with O-E in the conference."



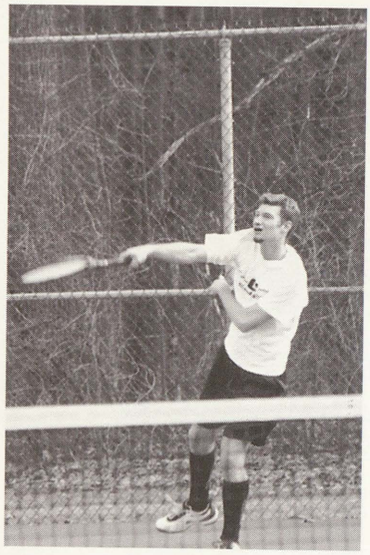


COACH'S CORNER

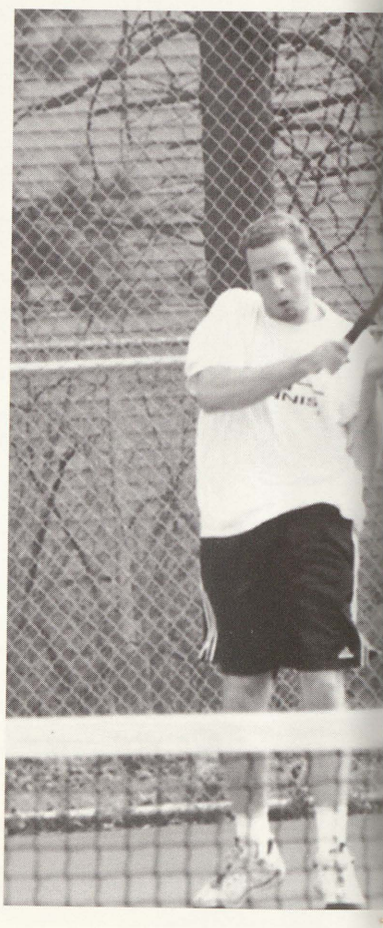
Varsity Tennis Head Coach Dave Gasper claims he had a great time for his second season with his Indian tennis team. "Winning the Conference Tournament, our first ever Regional Championship, and going to the State Tournament with my sons Adam and Mark on the team was very special," commented Coach Gasper.

"Jim Freeland and I gave free tennis lessons to the students back in middle school and I'm very proud of what they accomplished in the four years of varsity tennis. In 1999, we won Mid-Michigan Conference and placed second in Regionals, going on to States. In 2000, we finished third in regionals," said Coach Gasper.

Coach Gasper added, "2002 will be a rebuilding year. We will have some very good young athletes who love tennis. Tom Teal and Randy Michaelis are the new assistant coaches, and the future looks good."



OVER THE TOP. Jason Bates serves up the ball as the team heads to an 11-2 record. Jason currently holds the record for most career doubles wins.



State Bound

The varsity boys' tennis team had their most successful season ever!

The tennis team had their most wins in a season, giving them an overall record of 11-2-1, including their 7-1-1 league record. The Indians won the Conference Tournament by one point, pushing Ovid-Elsie to second place.

"One of our goals this year was to compete with Ovid-Elsie and I would have to say we did our job and it felt good winning Conferences," commented Mark Gasper.

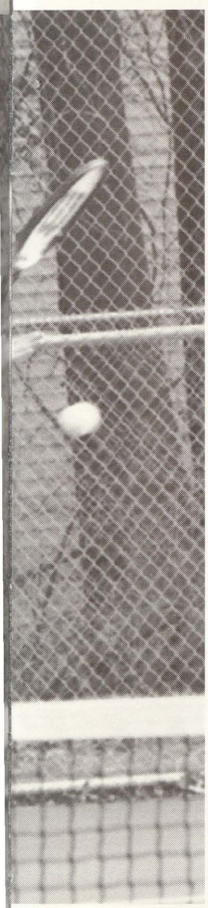
The tennis team had a lot of talent this year this year, and several members placed at regionals. Jason Bates won #4 singles, Rick DeLong/Russ Dones won #2 doubles, and Mark Gasper/Mark Karpuk won #3 doubles.

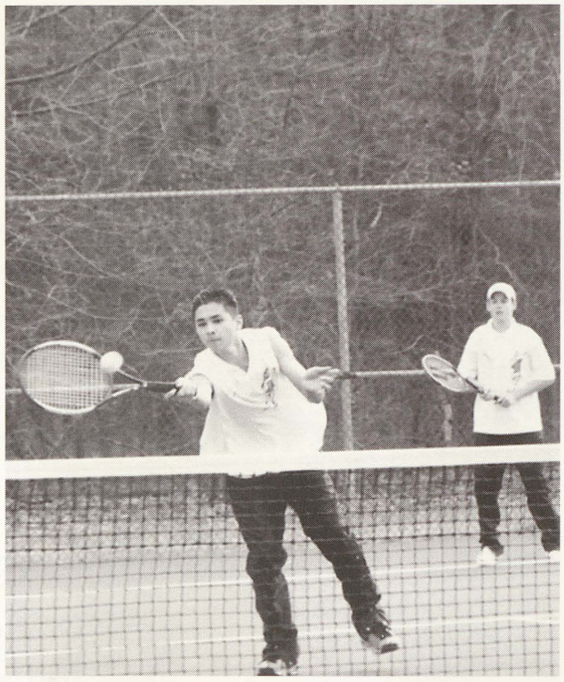
The state finals made a lot of memorable moments for the team. Russ Dones said, "We were in Adam Gasper and Mark Karpuk's room wrestling and Rick DeLong wanted in. Adam told him to get out of the room and Rick wouldn't go, so he went and threw Rick out of the room and slammed the door on Rick's foot. Rick fell and half of his toe nail was cut off from the door!"

-Justin Birchmeier

TAG TEAM! Freshman Brent Maike attempts the back-hand as Brian Fieldbrandt awaits the return. Brent commented, "It was cool being one of the first freshman to go to states."

Ryan Coe





DOUBLE TIME. Russ Dones returns the volley as teammate Rick DeLong backs him up. "We all had a fun time up in our hotel room at states," commented Russ.

CONTROL GAME. Noah Richardson smashes his trademark forehand. Noah was a dominant force for the Indians at number two singles.

BOYS' TENNIS. *Front:* Jordan Springer, Adam Gasper, Brent Maike, T.J. Aldrich, Mark Gasper, Josh Krause, Trevor Rose. *Row 2:* Brandon Chrysler, Adam Bolf, Cory Martin, Tom Ebenhoeh, Garrett Godfrey, Chris Michaelis, Tyler Bates, Ricky Delong. *Back:* Coach Gasper, Mark Karpuk, Russ Dones, Noah Richardson, Chris Misiuk, Brian Fieldbrandt, Jason Bates, Craig Nielson, Steven Meyer.

Angela Birchmeier

Varsity Tennis

SVSU Tourn.	5th
St. Johns	0-8
Greenville	5-3
Owosso	5-3
Frankenmuth	2-6
B. Creek Tourn.	3rd
Ionia	5-3
Ovid-Elsie	5-3
Alma	3-5
Mt. Pleasant	4-4
Corunna	4-4
Durand	8-0
Ithaca	5-3
Conference Tourn.	2nd
Regionals	6th
Record	**6-3-2**
MMC	**5-2-2**

COACH'S CORNER

Varsity Girls' Tennis Head Coach Rhonda Jastrzembowski started off with a slow season, but ending very strong. "Our first tournament we didn't do so well; we placed 5th at S.V.S.U., and then our first conference match against St. Johns was a tough loss, 0-8. With that loss, it showed us we had to work hard," commented Coach Jastrzembowski.

"Regionals were very difficult this year. It seemed like state competition last year. There were many established tennis teams to compete against, and we finished in 6th place. We didn't realize how lucky we were last year to be in that region," said Coach.

"Overall we had a good season. The girls showed a lot more confidence. I hope they continue to show off their new talents," added Coach.

GREAT SERVE. Junior Lacey Moore concentrates on the ball as she serves it up and over the net. "Julie George and I were once threatened by these Frankenmuth girls, and we thought it was quite funny," said Lacey.

-Citizen

RIGHT BACK AT YA. Senior Michelle Agnew follows through on her forehand. "We lost a lot of seniors, but I think we really shined. We learned how to work as a team and we worked hard through tough situations, and pulled through," said Michelle.

-Citizen

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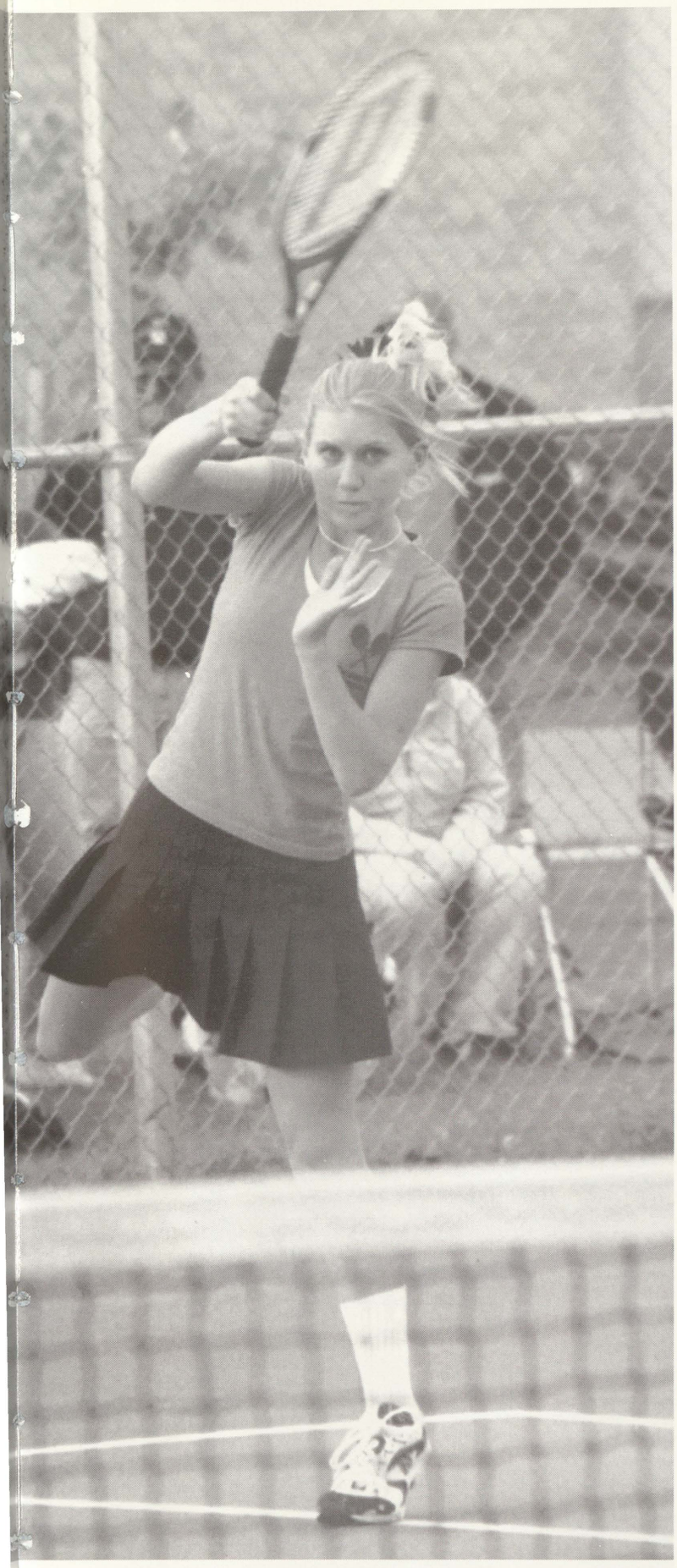
VARSITY GIRLS' TENNIS. *Front:* Jessie Platt, Melanie Vrable, Katrina Stoll, Amanda Newton, Christina Cannon. *Back:* Halee McDougall, Karolyn Hemker, Michelle Agnew, Julie George, Julie Esmer, Julie Teal, Melissa Bitterman.

"I thought tennis was a very fun sport. I learned a lot and it is a sport that I am actually good at."

-Ashley Neumeyer



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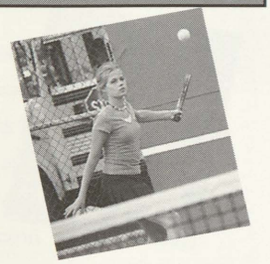
TAKE THAT, PUNK! Senior Jessie Platt blasts her serve to her opponent, while putting some heat behind it. "We had a lot of fun, but not as much as the last year. We still did really well," commented Jessie.

What A Racket!

The Varsity Tennis team had a very successful season, but ended in frustration.



The Varsity Girls' Tennis team had yet another bright season. The girls finished with a 6-3-2 record overall, with a 5-2-2 conference record. The girls finished second in their Conference, only five points away from first in the tournament, followed by a sixth place finish at Regionals. "This was an extremely tough region this year and we got a very unlucky tournament draw," added Coach Jastrzembowski.

The varsity squad this year was filled with many talented players. The team included six All Conference 1st Team members: Melanie Vrable, Karolyn Hemker, Julie Esmer, Amanda Newton, Julie George, and Melissa Bitterman. The team also included two All Conference 2nd Team members: Michelle Agnew and Christina Cannon. Melanie Vrable and Karolyn Hemker also went on and became Regional Finalists and the team received the Team All State Academic Award.

The JV Girls' Tennis team had a mediocre season. The most memorable match this year for the girls was against Ovid-Elsie. The girls turned out their best performance by pounding the Marauders. Lacey Moore and Courtney Jordan were just a couple of the players that really helped out the team this year.

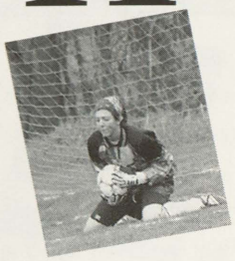
-Justin Birchmeier

-Citizen

J.V. GIRLS' TENNIS. *Front:* Jessica Richardson, Emily Fielbrandt, Connie Birchmeier, Nicole Ryckaert *Back:* Brooke Reiber, Cassie Keys, Rachel Pullman, Tara Mongeon, Lacey Moore, Crystal Gross, Jennifer Moore. *Missing:* Kimmy Newton, Courtney Jordan, Ashley Neumeyer

Melanie Vrable

Kickin' It



This was the year that Chesaning will never forget.

This was the first year ever that Chesaning had a girls soccer team. Although the team was only considered a junior varsity team, it consisted of freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. The team had a clean slate and no competitor knew what to expect. The girls used this to its full advantage.

The season started slow with conditioning, where the team ran miles each day. With conditioning, the girls also had to learn the rules, plays and penalties. Since hardly anyone ever played soccer in their lives, learning was the hardest part.

As the season progressed, so did the team, but the first game came against Frankenmuth too soon. The girls lost 0-6 and they knew they had to improve in order to win. Though the team worked hard, they still faced many challenges. One major challenge was that many key players were getting injured. Michelle Agnew twisted her ankle, Sara Weigold injured her knee, Molly Schlachter's calves were battered and bruised, and Melissa Londry partially tore her hamstring.

The pain and strain finally paid off when the team beat Owosso. With this victory came confidence, and the girls finished with a record of 3 wins and 12 losses, bringing down Corunna twice and Owosso once. Even though the team lost the last game, they still celebrated the season by dumping water all over Coach Soupal.

-Melissa Londry

Lyndsey Lea

"In soccer practice we ran a lot and did a lot of conditioning, but we all made it fun."

-Julie George

SQUARING OFF. Junior Michelle Agnew fights off her defender while going after the ball. Michelle said, "It's the most brutal game you can play in your entire life!"

J.V. SOCCER. *Front:* Sara Weigold, Cara Wendling, Lacey Moore, Julie George, Amber Odenbaugh, Carissa Kukulis. *Row 2:* Kristen Hedrich, Melissa Collins, Kimmy Newton, Sarah Wagner, Hannah McDougall, Coach Nic Lea. *Back:* Melissa Londry, Michelle Agnew, Mollie Schlachter, Dawn Currie, Rachael Dewey, Coach Soupal.

-J. Shaw

-Citizen

PLAYING IN STRIDE. Sophomore Rachael Dewey successfully moves the ball upfield. "I really love soccer and I hope we have more people playing next year," said Rachael.

-Citizen

J.V. Soccer

Durand	L
Frankenmuth	L
Ionia	L
St. Johns	L
Ovid-Elsie	L
Durand	L
Corunna	W
Corunna	W
Ionia	L
Owosso	W
Ovid-Elsie	L
Nouvel	L
Greenville	L
Frankenmuth	L
St. Johns	L
Record	**3-12**

MaryLynn Theile

COACH'S CORNER

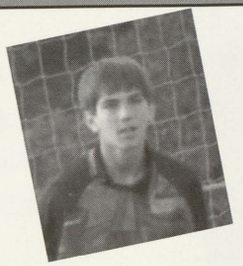
JV Soccer Head Coach Ryan Soupal had the experience of coaching an expansion team. The JV Soccer team entered the Chesaning schedule for the first time in the 2001 spring season.

Coach Soupal commented, "One of the things I remember most is after the first game that we won against Owosso, at Owosso, all of the girls were really excited, I was pretty excited, it was our first win. It was the first game that we played really well!"

The JV Soccer team did struggle for the majority of the season but they kept their high spirits. Coach Soupal remembers, "One thing I won't forget very soon is after our last game when they dumped the water on me! They had lost the game but they were all still having fun."

Field of Dreams

The varsity boys' soccer team had a down season but they held their heads up high in the end.



In their first varsity season ever, 18 players faced teams from well established soccer programs. At the end of the season four different players were awarded for their contributions to the team. Aaron Tomac received the Best In Defense award along with the Most Valuable Player. Robert Renne received the Best In Midfield award while Matt Trumble received the Best In Offense award. The Most Improved Player throughout the season was Darrek Mort, noted for his hard work and good effort. Two league awards were given out this year to the team; the recipients were Aaron Tomac for First Team All-League and Matt Trumble for Second Team All-League. Three district awards were distributed to three different players: Aaron Tomac received the All-District Team award, Dave Emmendorfer received the Honorable Mention award, and Chris Michaelis received the Honorable Mention award.

Anthony Joyce

Playing on the varsity football field was the biggest highlight, according to many of the players. "I thought it was pretty cool being able to play out on our football field, being that we were soccer players, not football players," commented Tom Ebenhoeh. Until this season, the team had played on the Middle School football field.

The boys' soccer team struggled throughout the season with a 2-15 record, beating Goodrich and Valley Christian. It was good for the boys to get these wins because it brought up their spirits and gave them something the be proud of.

-Justin Birchmeier

-Citizen

BOYS' SOCCER. *Front:* Zach Thomas, Carl Schubert, Chris Michaelis, Tyler Bates, Josh Beckman, Dave Emmendorfer, Ryan Leckenby, Derek Mort. *Back:* Anthony Ervin, Tom Ebenhoeh, Aaron Tomac, Aaron Leckenby, Steve Meyer, Robert Renne, Rick DeLong, Craig Rathfon, Matt Trumble, Garrett Johnston, Coach Unangst.

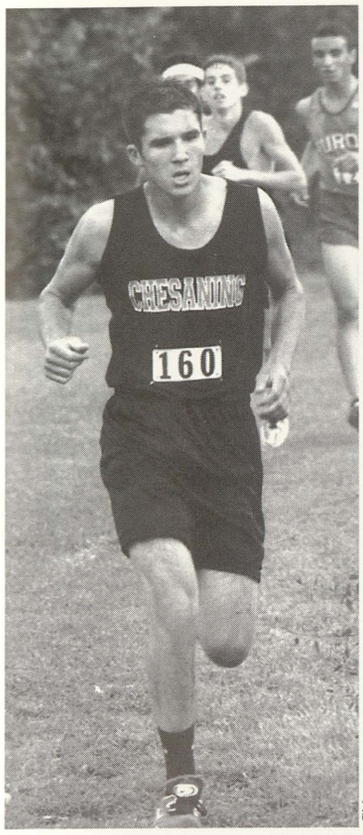
KICK THAT BALL! Freshman Carl Schubert takes a huge leap and prepares to kick the ball up the field. Carl was one of the few freshman on the boys' soccer team.

-Citizen

Varsity Soccer	
Ithaca	6-9
Alma	3-4
Perry	0-3
Owosso	0-10
Corunna	1-11
Durand	1-11
Ionia	0-9
Nouvel	1-9
Greenville	0-10
Ithaca	1-8
Ovid-Elsie	3-5
Mt. Pleasant	0-10
Goodrich	4-3
St. Johns	1-9
Valley Christian	2-1
Alma	3-4
Nouvel	0-5
Record	2-15

-Citizen

DETERMINATION. Senior Rick DeLong keeps his eyes on the ball and attempts to dodge past his defender. "The season was tough with it being a very young varsity team," commented Rick.



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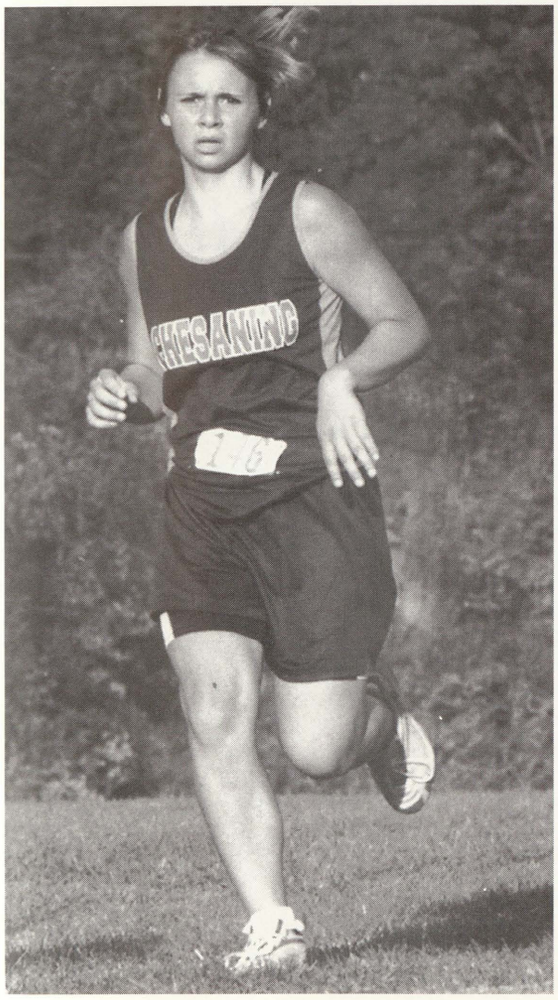
HOME STRETCH. Junior Craig Barancik heads towards the finish in the final turn of a race. Craig was a great runner and contributed many great finishes to the team this year.

CROSS COUNTRY. *Front:* Jon Malcolm, Julie Malcolm, Jessie Reed, Brooke Devereaux, Carrie Hudecek, Kathy Mocny. *Back:* Coach McNeil, Eddie Yaklin, Steve Kurecka, Bryan Yaklin, Craig Barancik, Matt Brown, Matt Peterson, Mike Peterson.

-Shaw

Cross Country

	Boys	Girls
St. Charles	2nd	
Birch Run	4th	
Bullock Creek	6th	
Chesaning	15th	
Conference #1	4th	3rd
Frankenmuth	8th	
Delta	5th	11th
Conference #2	4th	3rd
Heritage	9th	
Conference #3	4th	3rd
Sgainaw County	7th	
Shiawassee County	6th	
Regional	11th	
Final Standing	**3rd**	**4th**



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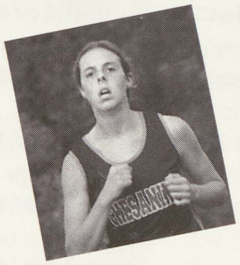
ALMOST THERE. Freshman Brooke Devereaux pushes herself until the end, giving this race her best. "The workouts for cross country were really hard, but in the end it paid off," commented Brooke.

On the Run

Despite the highly demanding practices, numerous injuries, and cold, rainy meets, each runner had fun throughout the season,



Steve Kurecka and Eddie Yaklin both agreed that the races were the best part of the season. "We even met Mike Goshka at one of them!" All of the team members enjoyed getting to know each other and goofing around every day before practice.

Each of the members also improved their times during the season, meeting goals set at the beginning of September. Even though everyone was sore and tired for most of the season, they all pushed past the pain and finished the season out strong, gaining strength, speed, and the determination to win. Whether they have more energy, confidence, or are in better physical shape, everyone said that cross-country has positively influenced their life. “I love it!” Brooke Devereaux commented. “I feel more confident a whole lot stronger now!”

Perhaps this sport can be summed up best by Craig: “In long-distance running, you have to be physically strong and mentally- even stronger. Otherwise, you won’t make it.” The team definitely proved their physical strength and mental toughness, and in Julie Malcolm’s words, "I can’t wait until the season next year!"

-Carrie Hudecek

Varsity Golf

Byron Tourn.	243/2nd
Durand Tourn.	334/6th
County	4th Place
Swan Valley	334/6th
Birch Run	173-181
St. Charles	163-162
Greenville Tourn.	348/5th
Nouvel	159-158
Mt. Pleasant	173-146
Alma	185-168
St. Charles	181-168
St. Johns	163-155
Ithaca Tourn.	312/4th
Conference Tourn.	362/2nd
Regional Tourn.	369/12th

Record 9-9
MMC 4-5

J.V. Golf

Swan Valley	173/182
Birch Run	185/208
St. Charles	169/193
Swan Valley	173/210
Nouvel	180/186
Mt. Pleasant	181/179
Alma	183/183
St. Charles	192/198
Ionia	176/186
Corunna	175/207

Record 15-1

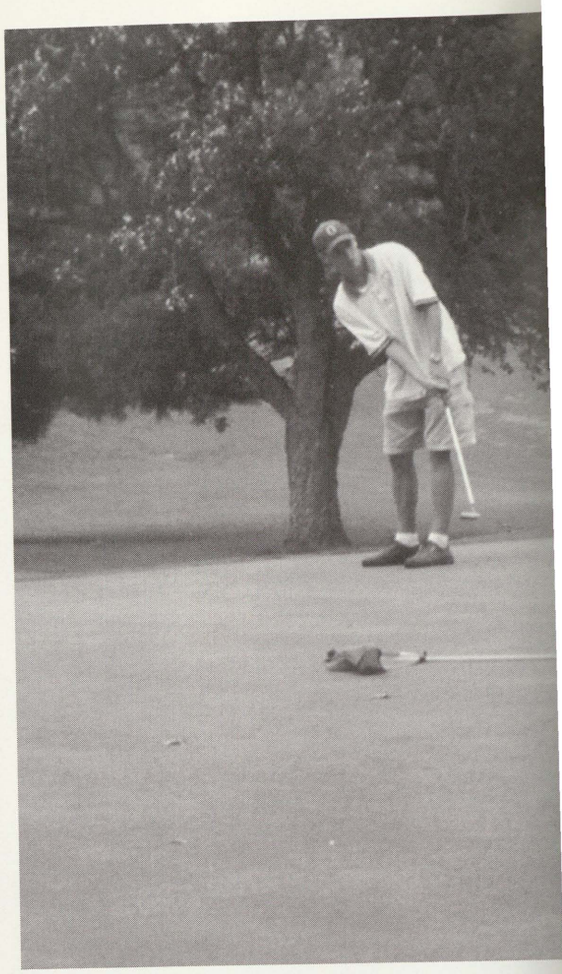
PUTTIN' FOR GLORY. Senior Dustin Gross attempts to sink a long putt on one of the feared greens at the Greenville Country Club. "We lost three matches by one stroke," bemoaned Dustin, who shot a personal best round of 35 during a practice session.

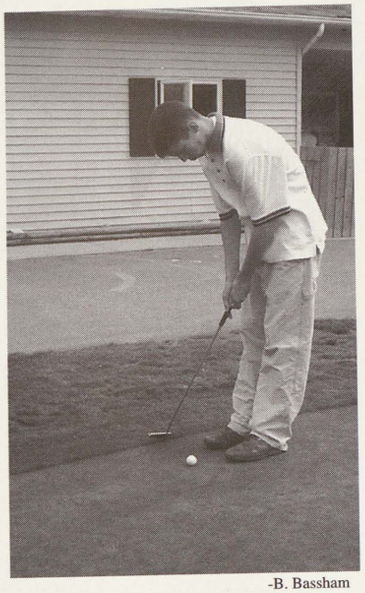
VARSITY & JV GOLF. *Front:* Coach Laskey, Dennis Irland, Brandon Bassham, Brent Maike, Anthony Joyce, Mitch Bell. *Row 2:* Justin Birchmeier, Dustin Gross, Brett Hoerner, Mark Gasper, Nick Guymer, Kellen Lister. *Back:* Joe Martin, Craig Nielson, Trevor Lorencz, Trevor Rose, Chad Newton, Russ Dones.

-Citizen

"The golf season was good this year, except for the cold days when it rained and snowed."

-Brent Maike





-B. Bassham

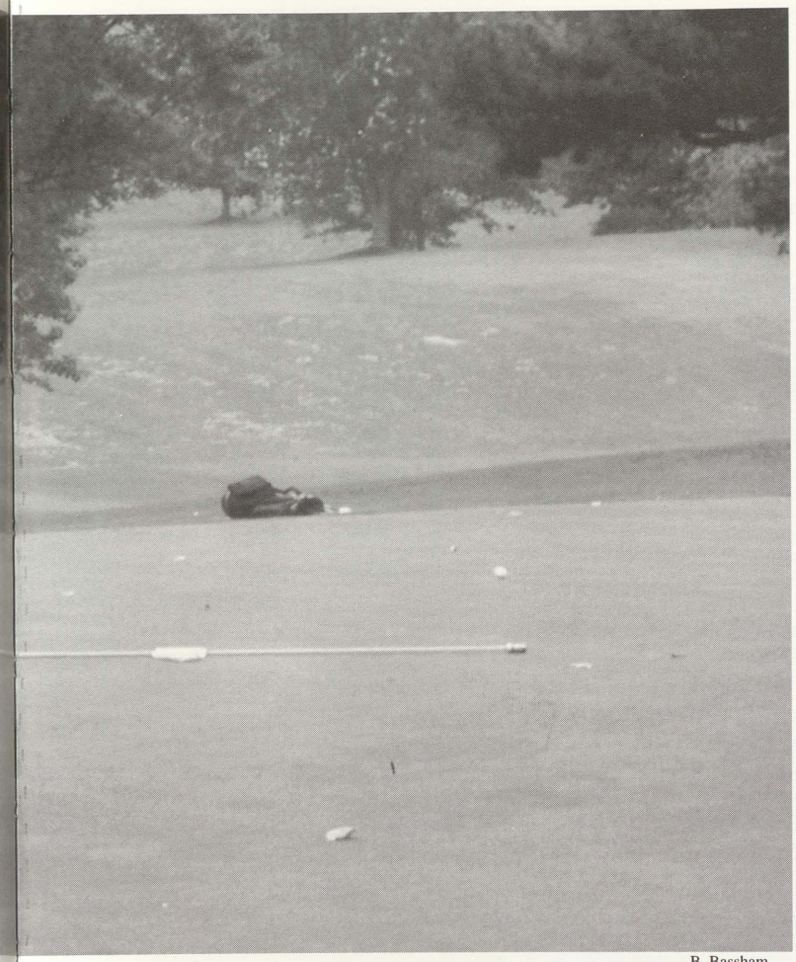
PUTTIN' HIS STUFF. Junior Brett Hoerner practices up on his putting on the practice green of Twin Brooks before a very important match. "This year was an interesting year for us and I think we all had a lot of fun," said Brett.

-B. Bassham

TAKING DEAD AIM. Sophomore Kellen Lister goes right at the pin as he uses his 5-iron on Greenville's Par 3. "It was pretty funny when we would go to our meets far away because every time Mr. Laskey would be talking, Hoerner would awake from a dead sleep and just pop his head up," laughed Kellen.

-B. Bassham

IN THE GROOVE! Senior Justin Birchmeier takes a nice and easy swing. "I really enjoyed the golf season this year because I had a lot more fun. I think it was because I always got in Mr. Laskey's head," commented Justin.



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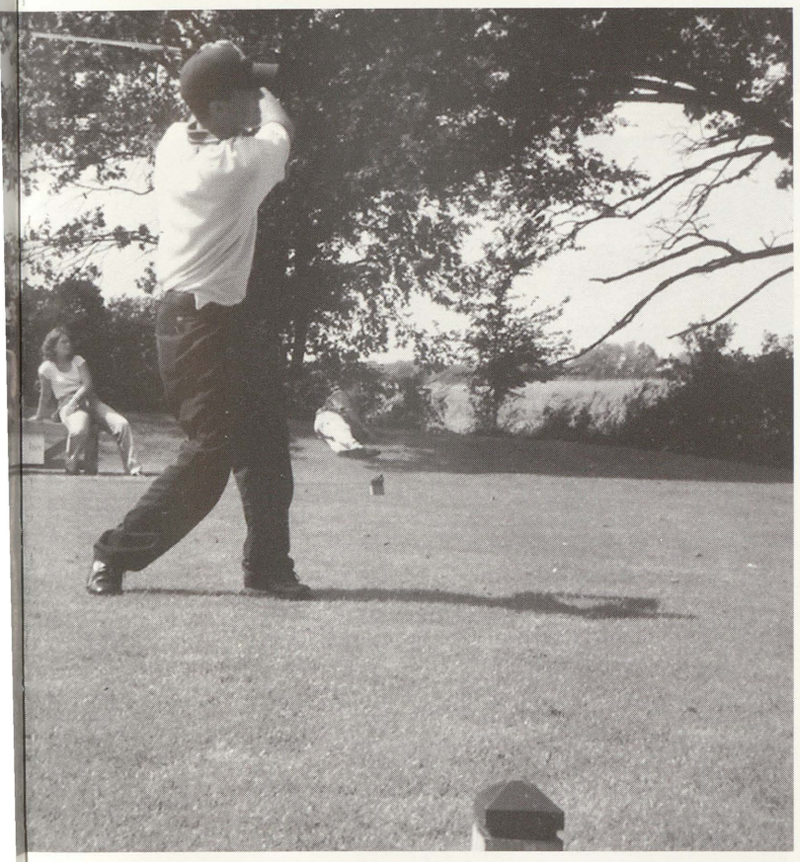
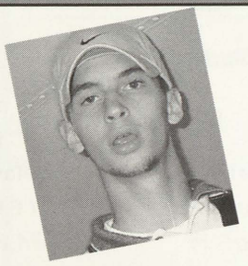


Quiet Please

The Varsity Indian golfers had yet another frusturating season, but finished with a successful record.



The first three losses for the Indians were very tough for them because they lost each one by only a single stroke. Swan Valley, St. Charles, and Nouvel all beat the fighting Tribe by one stroke.

Throughout the entire season, the Ithaca Tournament would have to be the most memorable match of the entire season. The Indians shot an amazing 312, finishing 4th in the tournament. The entire varsity team came in with excellent scores: Nick Guymer 76, Kellen Lister 78, Dustin Gross 79, Brett Hoerner 79, Justin Birchmeier 83, and Brent Maike 84.

One player that really made the team laugh and kept them all on their toes was sophomore Craig Nielson. Mark Gasper said, "I remember when we had our qualification for the varsity team, at our Club Championship at Twin Brooks. I was golfing with Craig and during the middle of our round he got upset and broke his putter, so he ended up using his three iron the rest of the round. He broke many clubs during the season, and last year he broke even more, so I guess you can say that he calmed down a little bit. "

Craig claims these are exaggerations. "I've only broken one club in frustration," he said. "We were playing a scramble and I topped the ball. I was upset I couldn't hit a drive, so I hit my club against a piece of wood and broke it."

Brent Maike says, "Craig has a mad slice. He can aim way left and into the corn field, and the ball will end up on the right side of the driving range. I have honestly never seen anything like it."

"For some reason my slice changed to a hook by the end of the season," said Craig.

"This year our Conference Tournament was a very troublesome tournament. I don't think any of us came in with a good score this year, and it really hurt us because we lost the Conference Championship to Alma. It was so windy that the flagsticks were bending half-way over," commented Kellen Lister.

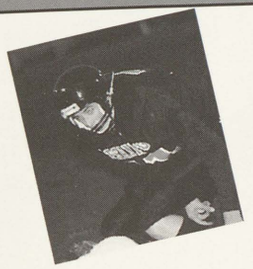
Brett Hoerner said the most challenging course they played on was Kimberly Oaks in St. Charles. "The holes are long and narrow, and there a lot of hazards," explained Brett.

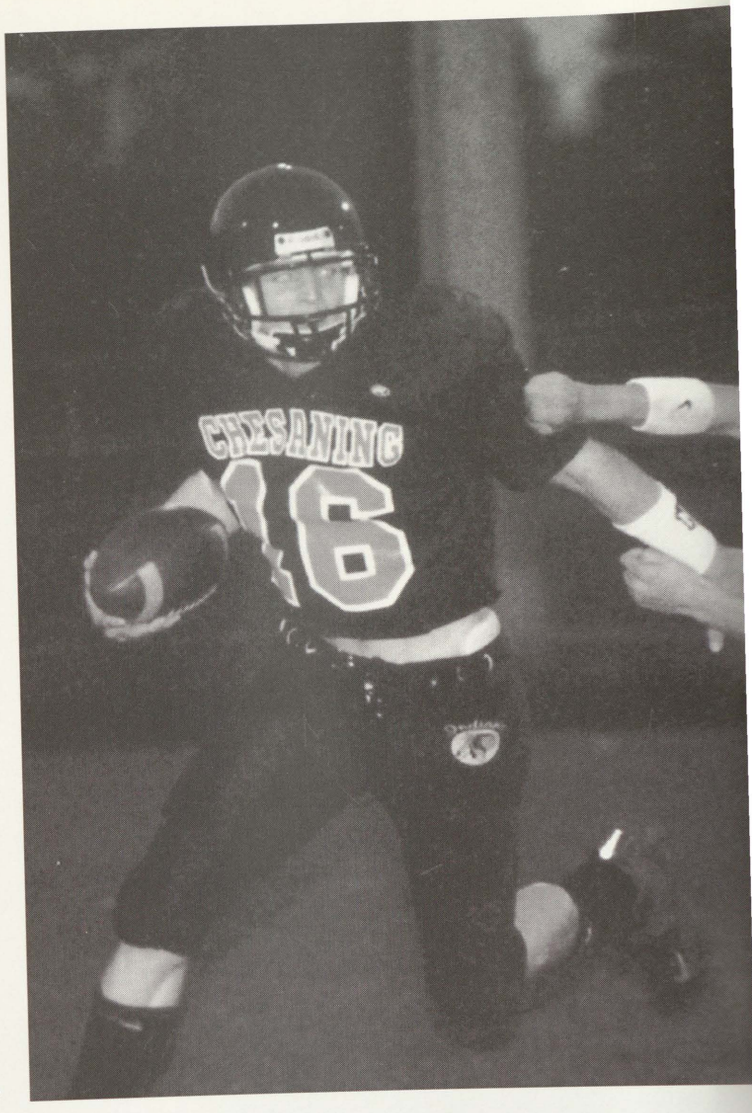
Coach Laskey added, "Unfortunately we will lose some valuable seniors who have helped make this a contending program for the years they participated as a Chesaning Golf team member. With that said you always have to look forward to the next season with an eye toward the prize 'A' championship."

-Justin Birchmeier

Coming Together

Both the Freshman & JV Football teams came together as the season progressed.





Dennis Winkelman

The JV football team compiled a successful season this year with a 6-2 overall mark. The Indians got out to a lightning quick start by winning their first 5 games by a total of 106 points.

"The season opener against Montrose was an exciting game because we made a drive at the end of the game to win by just 2 points, 20-18," said sophomore Adam Orth.

Although, the Tribe's hot streak came to an end when they dropped two of their last three games. Class A perennial powers Dewitt and Mount Pleasant defeated the Indians in two hard fought matches.

Even though the team finished the season on a bad note, the players still believed they had a strong season.

"We lost a couple games at the end of the year, but we still had a good season. We worked hard to improve and get along as a team," said sophomore Kyle Hollenback.

The Freshman football team got off to a rocky start this year and never recovered. The Indian's regular season's highlight came against conference rival Ovid-Elsie where the Tribe pulled out an 18-16 thriller. Unfortunately the young team would not win another game the rest of the season. The Indians did play some close games though, losing to Corunna 16-6 and to Owosso 22-14.

"Football was a lot of fun, even though we didn't win many games this year. Beating Ovid Elsie was a great moment for our team," said freshman Brad Devereaux.

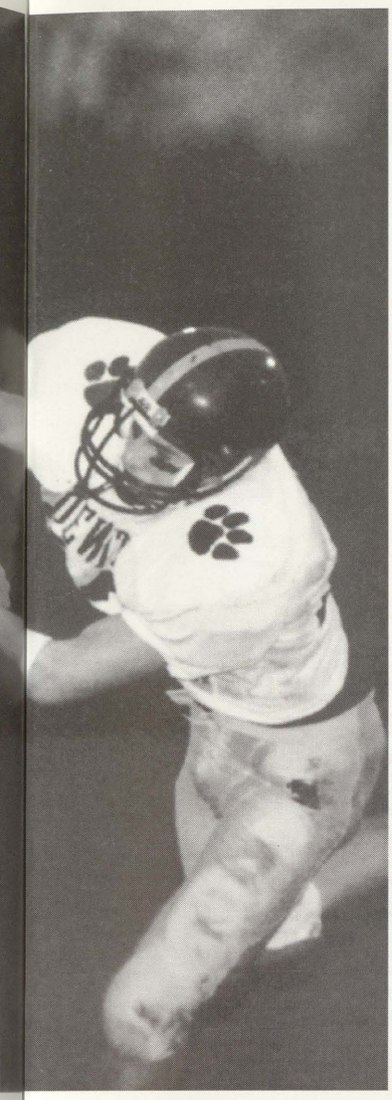
-Zac Alden

"We found out that we were a good team when we beat Alma 38-6."

-Jacob Smith

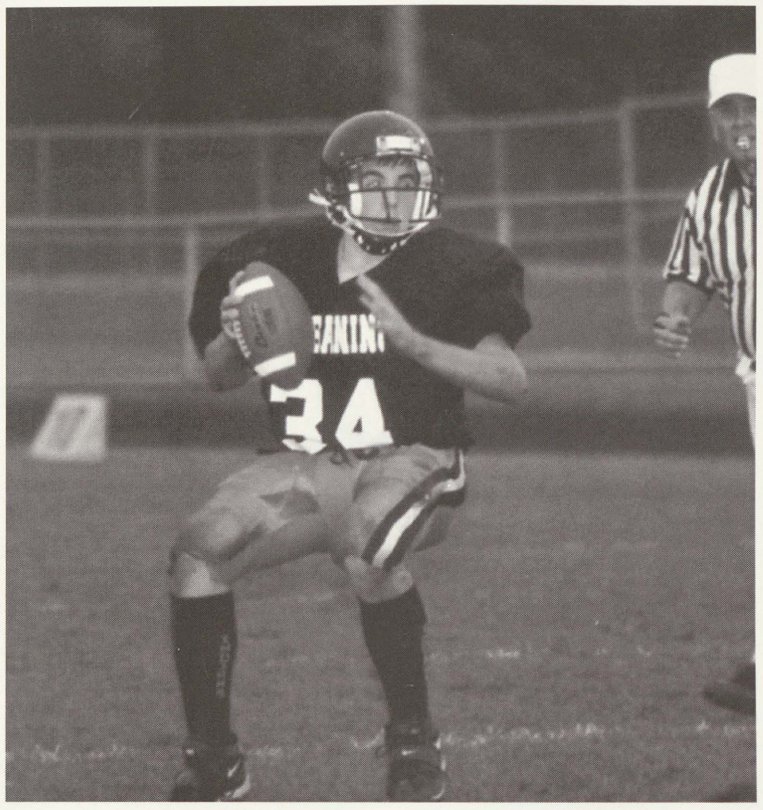
"I believe we could've done better this year and worked more as a team."

-Ryan Luft



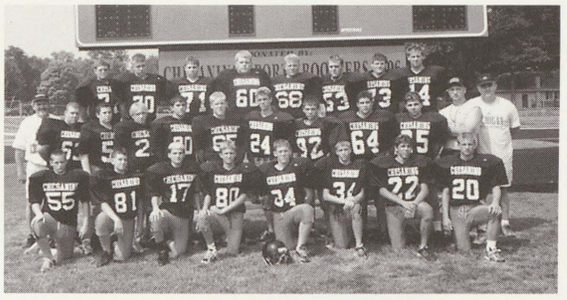
ROLLING OUT. Sophomore Gordon McKinnon rolls out of the pocket and keeps the ball on a quarterback keeper as he tries to get a few yards. "Football season this year was fun, but I think the best thing about it was that I got to play at the Silverdome being a sophomore," commented Gordon.

THROW IT! Freshman Justin Harris drops back in the pocket and sets up for the throw as his on-coming opponent rushes towards him. "Even though we went 1-8 on our season, we had fun," said Justin.



J.V. FOOTBALL. *Front:* Derek Milbrandt, Scott Schneider, Brandon Brainerd, Jarod Hughes, Blake Cottrill, Mark Jungerheld, Jacob Devereaux. *Back:* Coach Maynard, Jacob Smith, Conley Dugalech, Kyle Hollenback, Shawn Bueche, K.J. Londry, Mac Mishler, Nick Weigold, Gordon McKinnon, Adam Orth, Jason Turnwald.

GET OFF OF ME! Freshman Matt Smeltzer tries to pull his opponents along with him as he attempts to get the first down. "This year was a great experience and I hope that we only get better," said Matt.



FRESHMAN FOOTBALL. *Front:* Robert Clark, Cameron Amman, Lincoln Wirgau, Paul Barancik, Josh Brettrager, Bryce Walser, Troy Beckman, Matt Smeltzer. *Row 2:* Coach Bogar, Shaun Clark, Buddy Call, Ryan Harris, Justin Harris, Keith Hart, Brad Devereaux, Chris Belanger, James Lorencz, Michael Rosalez, Coach Walton, Coach Coon. *Back:* Kyle Elkins, Brad Darling, Brent Moore, Ryan Luft, Nick Newman, Aron Wilson, Ashton Thomas, Rich Fish.

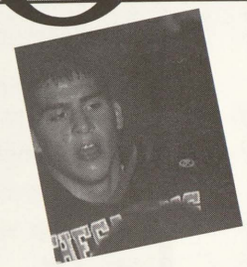
J.V . Football

Montrose	20 - 18
Lapeer East	45 - 0
Alma	38 - 6
Goodrich	32 - 21
Corunna	16 - 0
Durand	Forfeit
Mt. Pleasant	8 - 21
Owosso	32 - 20
Dewitt	12 - 35
Record	**6 - 2**

Freshman Football

Frankenmuth	8 - 12
Lapeer East	12 - 49
Alma	6 - 42
Ovid-Elsie	18 - 16
Corunna	6 - 16
Durand	6 - 36
Mt. Pleasant	0 - 30
Owosso	14 - 22
Dewitt	8 - 40
Record	**1 - 8**

On Top



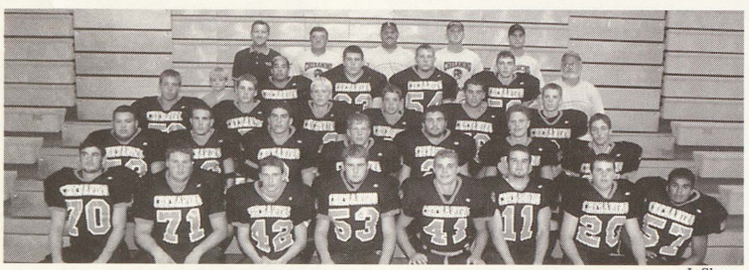
Kevin Parson

Early victories led the varsity football team to end their season on top.

The Varsity football team won their fourth consecutive conference title this season, defeating both the A and the B schools in the league. The Indians only loss of the season came against non-conference rival Dewitt. The loss to the Panthers was a heartbreaker. The game went into overtime with Dewitt drawing the first blood. Quarterback Brent Bassham answered to the Panthers' touchdown with a 4 yard TD pass to Tyler Alden. Jonathon Bishop's extra point kick flew wide by just an inch though, resulting in a 28-27 loss. Senior standout Jason Croucher led the team's valiant effort with 3 touchdown runs and 20 tackles on defense.

The loss to Dewitt would be the Indians last on the way to a state championship. The Tribe also was able to avenge their regular season loss to the Panthers at the State semifinals held in Mount Pleasant. The Indians crushed Dewitt 21-6 and didn't allow the Panther offense to score. Dewitt's only score came on a Brent Bassham interception that was returned for a touchdown. The Tribe defense, which proved to be an incredible group all season, held the Panther offense to just 9 yards and forced 5 turnovers. Paul Tithof and Bassham both scored on a 1-yard runs. Matt Ferry caught a 14-yard touchdown pass from Bassham to complete the Indians' scoring in the game.

The Indians' playoff hopes looked as though they might come to an abrupt end in the second round of the playoffs. The Tribe found themselves trailing an underdog Caro squad 28-7 at the half. In the second half the Indians put forth their best effort and made an extraordinary comeback defeating Caro 35-28. Brent Bassham and Jason Croucher led the way on offense with more than 100 yards rushing. The second half of the ballgame was arguably the Indian's best half of football all season. "It was a blast to be part of a team like we had this season," said senior Paul Tithof. *-Zac Alden*

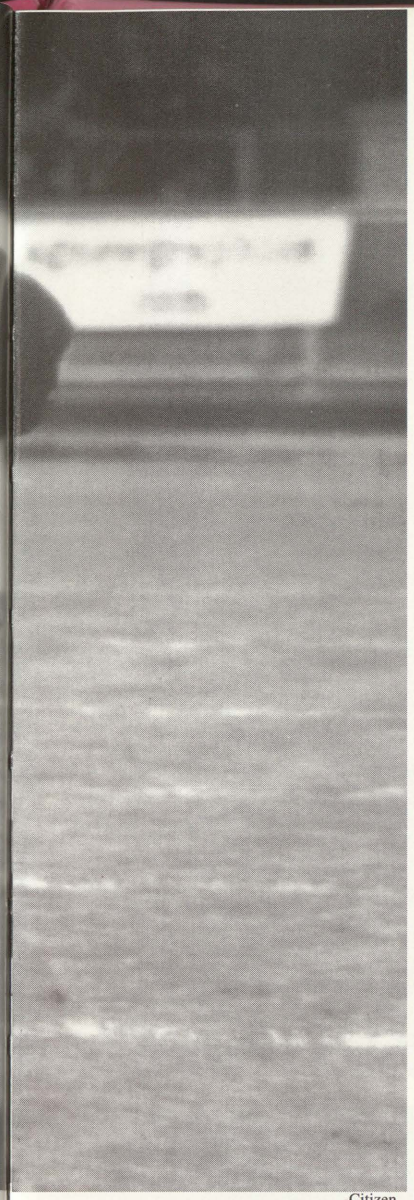


-J. Shaw

VARSITY FOOTBALL. *Front:* Randy Coole, Justin Maxa, Jason Croucher, Brent Conklin, Paul Tithof, Chris Anderson, Jacob Righi, Nito Escamilla. *Row 2:* Josh Gosselin, Matt Ferry, Jason Strachota, Chris Barancik, Steve Korf, Tracey Baryo, Brent Bassham. *Row 3:* Andrew Hasse, Matt Breier, Craig Weisenberger, Justin Schneider, Jon Bishop, Tyler Alden. *Row 4:* kid, A.J. Guererro, Jacob Henige, Shawn Plonsky, Dan Reed, Coach Gerken. *Back:* Trainer Mike, Coach Szappan, Coach Tithof, Coach Yates, Coach Manard.

-Citizen

FORWARD PUSH. Chris Barancik trys to cut back up field against an Ovid-Elsie defender. Barancik was first team all-conference selection at defensive back and second team selection at running back for the Indians.



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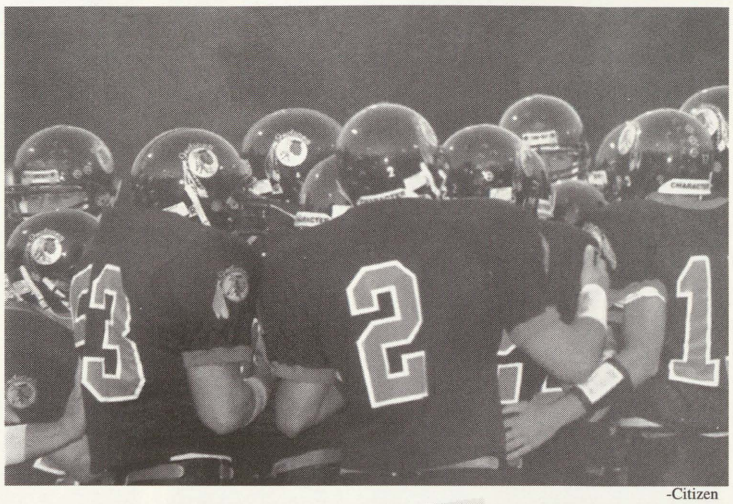
FOR THE FIRST TIME. Junior Tyler Alden starts at varsity quarterback against Ovid-Elsie for the first time since playing JV football. Tyler was a first team all-conference selection at wide receiver and defensive back.

HUDDLE UP. The team huddles together before their game against Ovid-Elsie. "There's a lot of shouting and shoving going on," said Craig Weisenberger. "The captains also go in the middle and say something three times, and after they said it the third time we say something. Then at the end we say 'Indians on three; one, two, three," added Jacob Righi.



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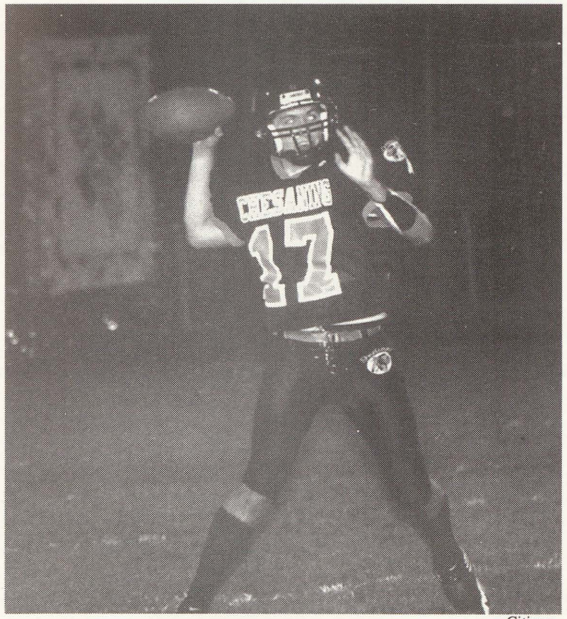
Varsity Football

Montrose	34-7
Lapeer East	28-13
Alma	29-6
Ovid-Elsie	41-6
Corunna	41-14
Durand	39-6
Mt. Pleasant	7-6
Owosso	25-0
Dewitt	27-28 OT
Garber	40-12
Caro	35-28
Kingsford	26-2
Dewitt	21-6
O.L. St. Mary's	14-7
Record	**13-1**

"Teams started dropping to us like raindrops. And when it rains, it pours."

-Tracey Baryo

Kristen Hedrich



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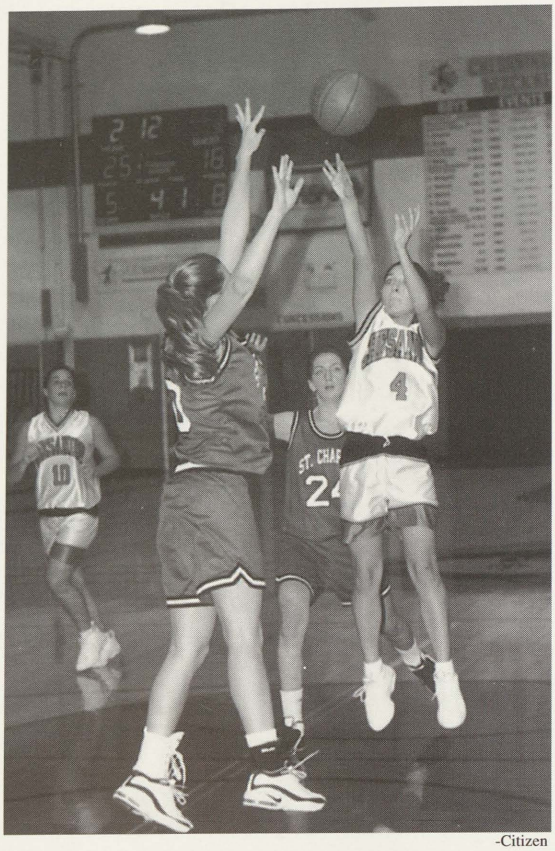
STAND AND DELIVER. Starting quarterback Brent Bassham looks to fire the ball down field. Bassham was the team's offensive MVP and a first team all-conference selection.

-Citizen

LISTEN UP. Coach Tithof instructs senior Brent Conklin on the sideline. Conklin was a standout for the Indian defense all season long taking the record of 21 tackles. Brent received first team all-conference honors at the linebacker position. "Our best game was against Owosso. We all came together and played together as a team. We shut them out. It was a moment we had been looking forward to all season," Brent said.

Jacob Smith

UP FOR TWO... Pulling up for a jump shot from the free-throw line is sophomore Mary Morris. "We had a really good season even though we didn't have many players," said Mary.



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J.V. Basketball

New Lothrop	33-44
Montrose	30-24
Alma	32-27
Owosso	36-43
Ovid-Elsie	22-27
Corunna	34-71
St. Charles	56-36
Durand	58-28
Ionia	37-38
Greenville	44-51
Alma	47-19
Perry	36-42
Ovid-Elsie	44-11
Mt. Pleasant	44-58
Corunna	29-70
St. Charles	54-43
Durand	56-29
Owosso	43-25
Greenville	34-53
St. Johns	45-75
Record	**9-11**

Freshman Basketball

Alma	19-47
Owosso	17-21
Owosso	22-29
Ovid-Elsie	38-42
Corunna	10-52
St. Charles	36-33
Ionia	34-51
Greenville	28-41
Novi	28-47
Alma	21-49
Perry	35-47
Ovid-Elsie	29-34
Mt. Pleasant	33-42
Corunna	40-68
Montrose	33-41
Ovid-Elsie	38-42
Greenville	32-39
St. Johns	36-49
Record	**1-17**

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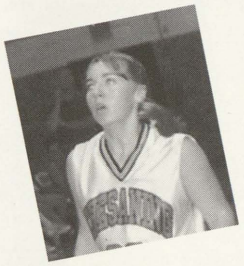
J.V. GIRLS' BASKETBALL: *Front:* Becky Card, Jenna Righi, Chelsea Vincke, Mary Morris. *Back:* Coach Stewart, Kristi Bitterman, Meghan Strachota, Sarah Tithof, Melissa Koski, Manager Dean Evans.

D-E-F-E-N-S-E. Freshman Erica Keit shows of her defensive abilities to her Greenville opponent. "We had a good season even though we lost a few players. We stuck through it and did a pretty good job," said Erica.

Close Calls

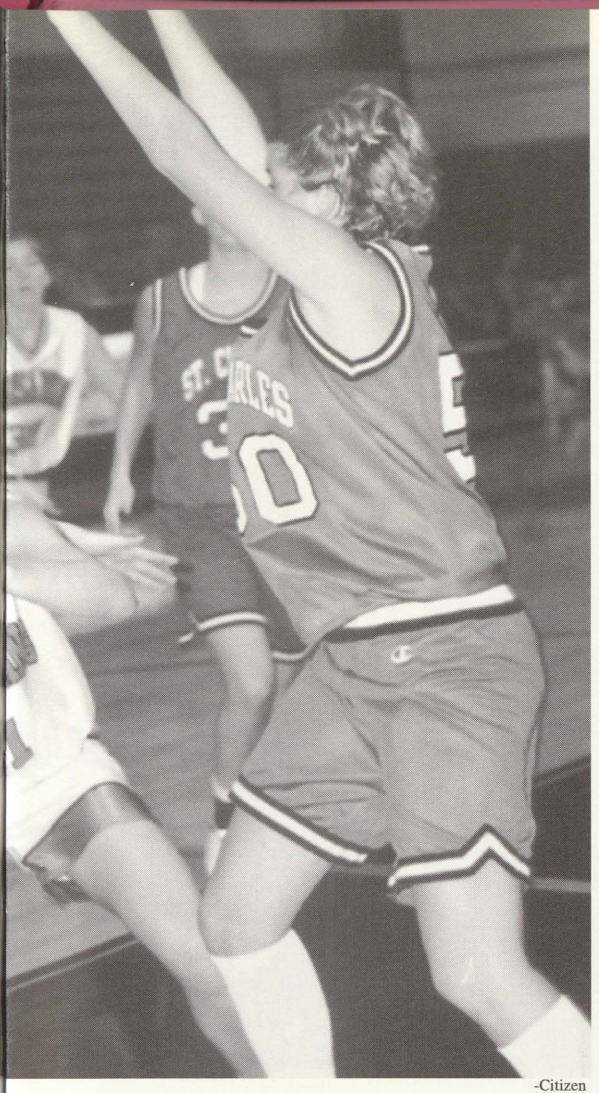


The freshman and junior varsity girls' basketball team had an up and down season.

Injuries and girls being moved up to varsity contributed to the some of the team's struggles, but the J.V. still managed to win 9 of their 20 games. Things looked promising at the end of the season when the team had a three-game winning streak with wins over St. Charles, Durand and Owosso. The three game winning streak was snapped though when Greenville defeated the Indians 53-34. The Tribe then lost their final game to St. Johns to finish the year with a losing record. "I think we really came together as a team towards the end of the season," said Mary Morris.

The freshman girls basketball team didn't fare too well this season, but still were able to enjoy themselves. The girls managed to win just one game during their grueling 18 game season. However, the lady Indians were not far away from victory on many occasions. Four-point and seven-point losses to Owosso and six and five-point losses to Ovid-Elsie come to mind when recalling the Tribe's close calls. The Indians lone victory came against the St. Charles' Bulldogs 36-33.

Practices and bus rides provided the girls with enough entertainment to get through all the tough losses. "The bus rides were crazy, everyone acted real goofy," said Kari Eurich and added that, I think we did pretty good and it was a lot of fun, especially when we beat St. Charles."



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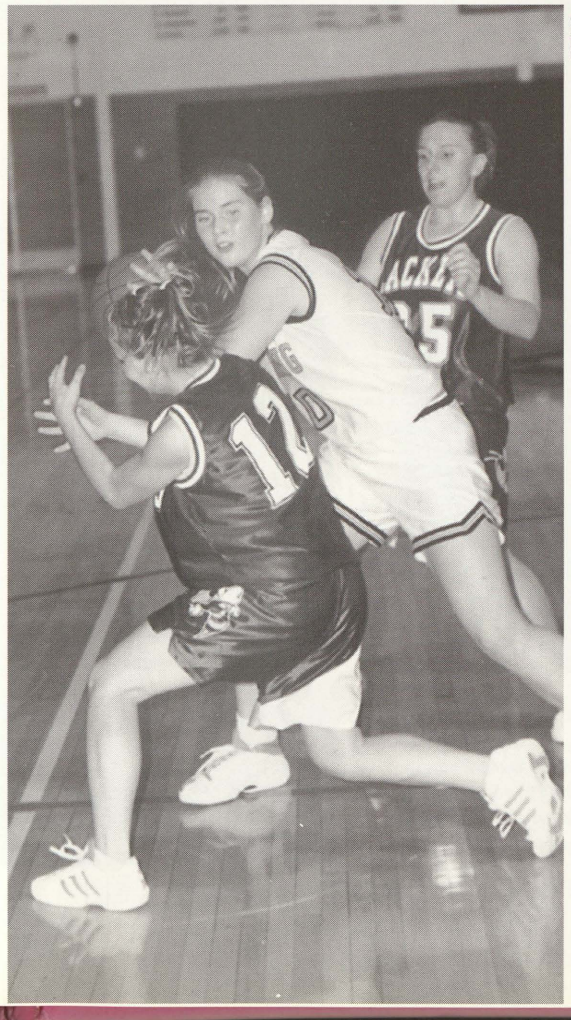
GRRR! Freshman Meghan Strachota takes on three of her St. Charles' opponents for the rebound. "We lost a lot of girls, but we still ended up doing very well," said Meghan.



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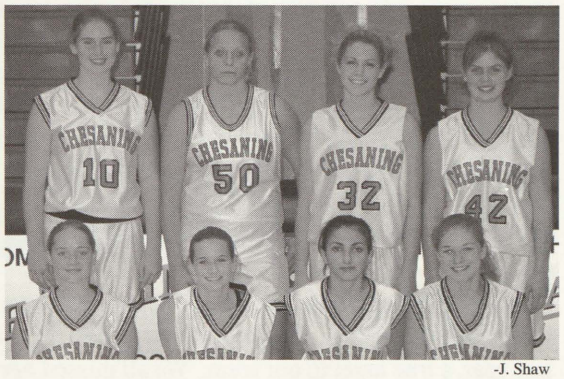
REALLY ROUGH. Freshman Jalayna Chludil fights off her opponent. According to most of the team, the bus trips to away games were the highlights of the season. "The trips on the buses were always really fun because we shouted and sang to the radio a lot," said Jalayna.

"I thought the season went well despite our record. We were able to beat St. Charles."

-Tanya Hasse



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FRESHMAN GIRLS' BASKETBALL: *Front:* Sarah Cacciola, Kari Eurich, Shatha Zuraigat, Alicia Adams. *Back:* Jalayna Chludil, Kristin Prince, Erica Keit, Tanya Hasse. *Missing:* Melissa Gengler.

Brent Maike

Varsity Baseball

New Lothrop	40-54
Montrose	23-44
Alma	41-52
Owosso	24-50
Ovid-Elsie	42-46
Corunna	36-49
St. Charles	53-39
Durand	55-31
Ionia	42-53
Greenville	43-70
Alma	65-74
Perry	29-58
Ovid-Elsie	57-60
Mt. Pleasant	32-54
Corunna	56-55
St. Charles	44-40
Durand	68-32
Owosso	23-55
Greenville	38-55
St. Johns	50-80
Record	**5-15**
MMC	**3-5**

Zeke Escamilla

COACH'S CORNER

Varsity Girls' Basketball Coach Andrew Reger went through a tough season this year, struggling after losing a key starter due to mono. Reger said, "Early in the season we unfortunately lost Andrea Weisenberger from the team because of a battle with mono. I'm happy to report she now has a clean bill of health and is back in action with her next sport, volleyball. Andrea is a senior and was a team captain last year, a true asset to our team. We all missed her a great deal, not only as a player but also as a team leader."

"This year's team really fought tooth and nail and moved forward and learned many new skills, which showed in their performance. Though our record is not impressive I'm proud of what the girls accomplished and look forward to a better season next year with those who are returning," said Coach Reger.

ON THE DRIVE. Heading for a power layup, junior Jessie Stewart beats the defense back and lays the ball in for two points. "I think having a small team helped us because we got to know each other and really worked well together," said Jessie.

STRETCHING FOR THE REBOUND. Jodie Lary, sophomore, boxes her opponents out as she moves in to gain possession of the ball. Jodie was a threat for the team from behind the arc.

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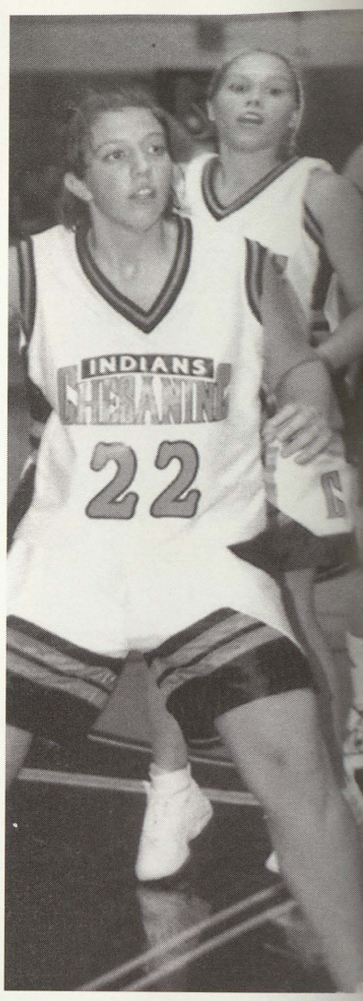
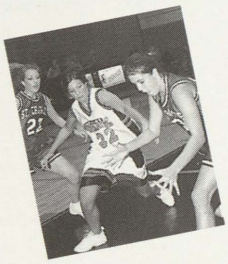


-A. Reger

VARSITY GIRLS' BASKETBALL. *Clockwise:* Jessie Stewart, Yoko Shoji, Lyndy Beldyga, Trisha Brian, Jodie Lary, Jessica Zajdlik, Amanda Wirgau, Jori Pacek.

GET OUT! Senior Jori Pacek gets the block as the New Lothrop opponent tries to penetrate into the lane. "Even though we didn't win as many games as we hoped, the one thing we did learn, was how to play as a team," commented Jori.



Rebuilding Season

The varsity girls' basketball team fought the tough times this year and played their hearts out in every game.

With only seven total players on the varsity team, there was no danger of anyone "sitting the bench" for the season.

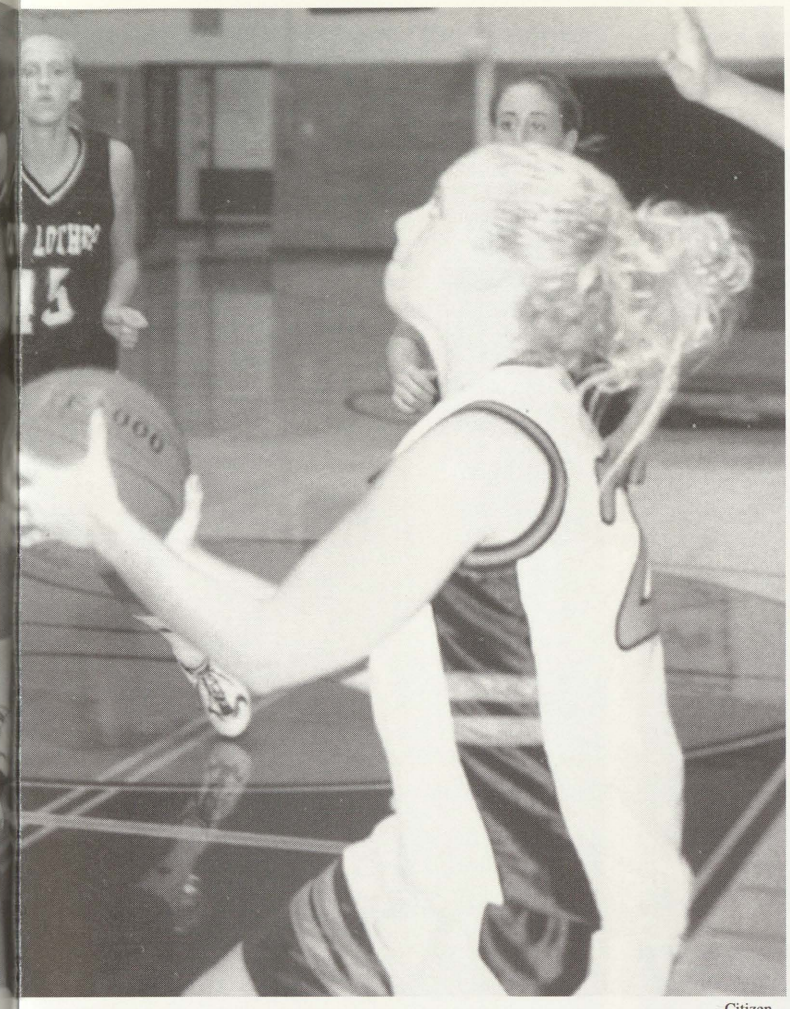
No one would have been able to tell the team's record by the way they played on the court. The girls' effort and work ethic on the court were nothing to be ashamed of. They played tough defense and they worked well together on the offensive end. They didn't always get the shots that they wanted, and sometimes the ball wouldn't fall through the hoop.

Even though the Lady Indians were in a slump most of the season, they all came together for one special game, and it is highly doubted that any of the girls will ever forget this moment. It was October 23, and the girls were traveling to Corunna High School for game against the Cavaliers. Surprising to the Cavalier fans, it was a close game the entire time, and the Lady Indians even pulled ahead by about 10 points late in the third quarter. The Cavaliers then pulled back, making the game tight until the end. It was intense playing until the final second, as Corunna's star player, Jennifer Gross, went to the free-throw line to shoot two, and Chesaning was ahead by three. She made the first and the second, but unfortunately for the Cavaliers, they did not have possession of the ball for another shot. The Lady Indians were the victors, and it was one win that will not be forgotten. Not only was it the first time in two years that the girls had beaten Corunna, but they also put Corunna in a bad position to vie for the Conference Championship.

The Lady Indians were led on the court in scoring by Jessie Stewart. Jessie was also the leading free-throw shooter along with senior Jori Pacek. Jori also led the team in rebounds and blocks. Amanda Wirgau led the team in assists and steals, while Jodie Lary was outstanding from behind the arc, leading the team in most three-pointers.

Despite their lack of numbers, the girls gave their all-out effort in each game.

-Justin Birchmeier



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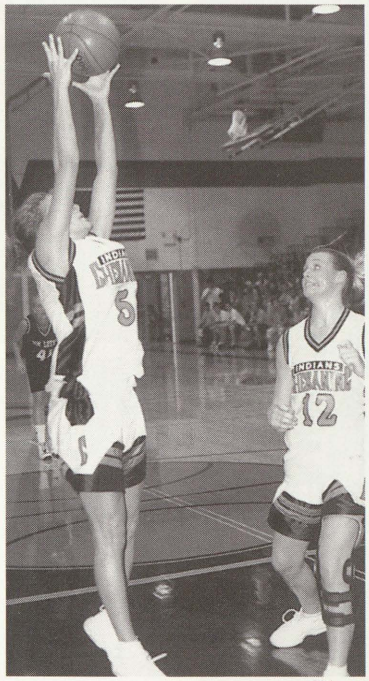

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REBOUND! Junior Amanda Wirgau leaps into the air catching the ball, and brings it down to keep position. "This year we had a lot of fun and we tried to come together on the court, but it wasn't as successful as we hoped," said Amanda.

Brian Reiber

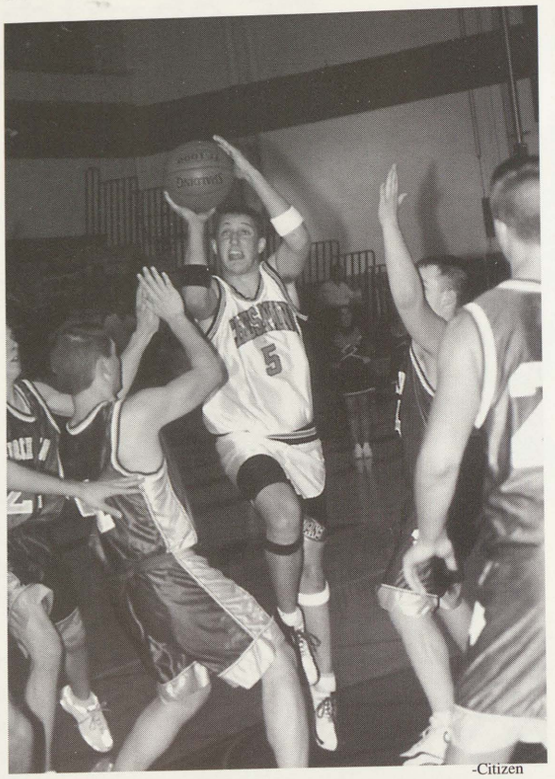
J.V. Basketball

Montrose	37-44
New Lothrop	43-75
Birch Run	54-62
Alma	35-78
Ovid-Elsie	36-61
Owosso	50-60
Corunna	68-70
Birch Run	45-57
Durand	52-60
Ionia	41-63
Greenville	44-55
Alma	47-75
Perry	39-62
Ovid-Elsie	33-69
Mt. Pleasant	39-91
Corunna	55-72
St. Johns	43-73
Durand	57-51
Owosso	38-54
Greenville	43-61
Record	**1-19**

Freshman Basketball

New Lothrop	40-41
St. Charles	47-51
Montrose	51-32
Ovid-Elsie	41-29
Greenville	38-69
Owosso	43-57
St. Charles	42-43
Alma	56-60
Corunna	53-63
Ionia	36-58
Durand	42-45
Greenville	51-86
Montrose	51-40
Mt. Pleasant	34-80
Corunna	45-51
St. Johns	53-79
Durand	42-40
Perry	61-63
Alma	38-46
Record	**4-15**

ON THE RUN. Sophomore Dean Evans pulls up for two as he drives into the lane. "Against Mt. Pleasant, we got to run our play called Turtle. It really frustrated the other team," laughed Dean.



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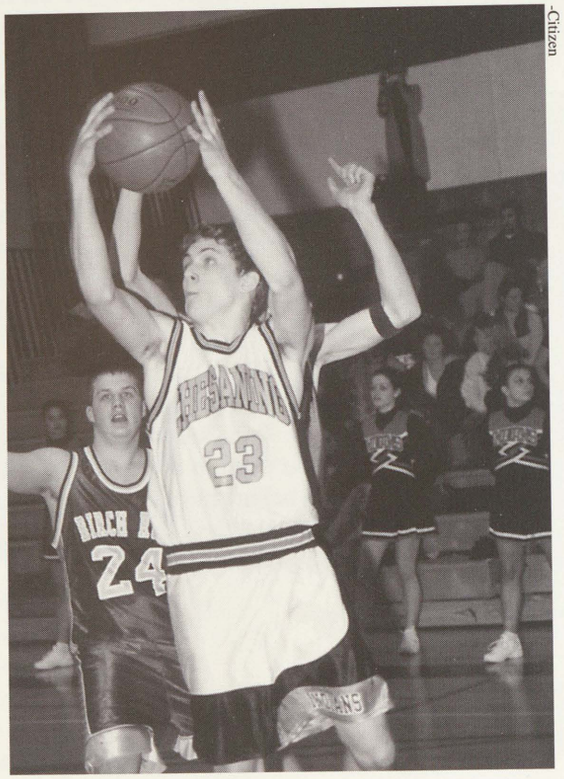

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REBOUND! Sophomore Kyle Hollenback boxes his opponent out and comes up with the strong rebound. "When we played Corunna we finally picked it up and played a lot harder. Even though we didn't win, we felt good about ourselves," said Kyle.

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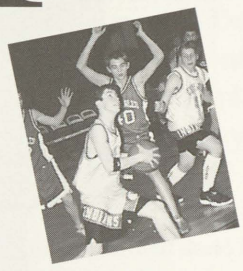
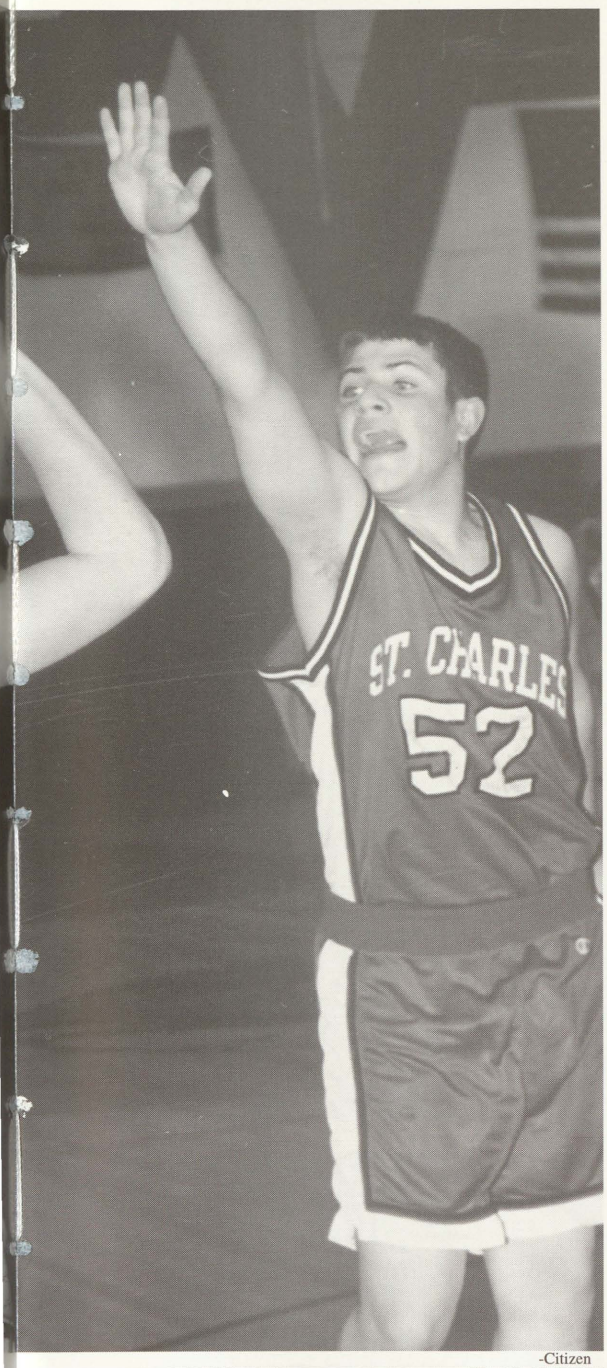
FRESHMAN BASKETBALL. *Front:* Keith Hart, Dennis Irlanc Aaron Young, Troy Beckman, Paul Barancik, Brad Devereaux *Back:* Justin Harris, Brent Moore, Ryan Coe, Kyle Mulanix, Shan Amman, Scott Kuchar, Coach Walton.

Team Effort



The J.V. and freshman boys' basketball teams had several close games this season.



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PERFECT FORM! Freshman Justin Harris pulls up on the baseline for two points. "We had six or seven games that were decided by four points or less," said Justin.

The JV squad stuggled this year as a result of not replacing three moved up players. The Indians often found themselves way behind after the first quarter of play and were never able to catch up. Despite all the losses the players seem upbeat about themselves as a team.

"We really weren't that bad of a team. All we needed to do was find a way to put the ball in the hole. We were able to get the looks, we just weren't able to knock down the shots," said Mac Mishler. "I think if we ran the offense better we would have been more successful. We played pretty well against Corunna, we only lost by 2 points."

"We had a rough season, but I think if we work hard in the off-season we could become a lot better team. We will be good when we're seniors," said Brandon Bassham.

The freshman basketball team may have not had the best record, but don't judge a book by its cover. In several games the Indians lost by only four points or less. "We were a decent team. A lot of games we played tough and almost won, but we didn't get any breaks," said Paul Barancik.

Players remember one game in particular where they played extremely well, but were unable to pull off the victory. "Against Alma we played really well just to lose by four points. Last year Alma killed us and this year we played them tough," said Justin Harris.

"When we played Alma we hustled and left everything out on the floor. It was an exciting game," said Kyle Mulanix.

-Zac Alden

-Citizen

JV BASKETBALL. *Front:* TJ Aldrich, Mitch Bell, Stephen Kurecka, Brandon Bassham, Jacob Smith, Tyler Szarenski. *Back:* KJ Londry, Dean Evans, Chad Newton, Trevor Lorencz, Malachi Mishler, Gordon McKinnon, Kyle Hollenback, Coach Yates.

"We had a bad season this year. We have all matured more this year and have learned a lot"

-Brandon Bassham

"The season went well this year for us but it would've been nice to win a few more games."

-Dennis Irland

Dave Emmendorfer

Varsity Basketball

Montrose	51-47
New Lothrop	35-65
Birch Run	43-55
Alma	49-67
Ovid-Elsie	69-54
Owosso	38-58
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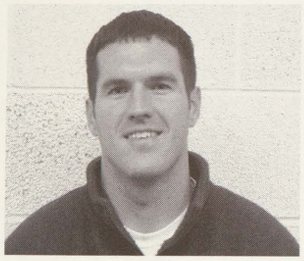
Mt. Pleasant	70-71
Corunna	53-67
St. Johns	59-72
Durand	51-61
Owosso	49-66
Greenville	52-79
Record	**2-18**
MMC	**1-8**

Randy Coole

COACH'S CORNER

Second-year Varsity Basketball Head Coach, Tim Haist, stressed all year long that "attitude is everything; 10 percent what happens and 90 percent how we react." This was the motto, and part of the Chesaning Basketball Philosophy right from the get go.



"We know that we are in a rebuilding stage, and we have got to stay positive. Winning is not everything, but playing to win is. There were times this year when we played outstanding basketball, and then there were times that we struggled. We continued to work together through the hardest of times, in order to make this season a success. Success can not just be measured just by wins and losses, but by whether or not we became better basketball players and better young men," commented Coach Haist.

PUSHING THE BALL UP COURT. Junior Tyler Alden hurries up the court and tries to drive the ball to the hoop. "We were so close to winning a few games and having a turn around season this year, but it just didn't turn out the way we wanted and wished for," commented Tyler.

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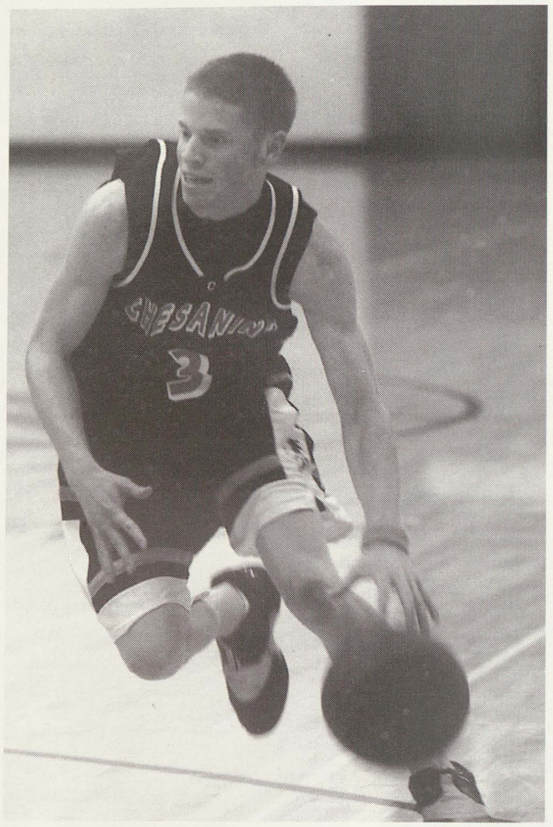

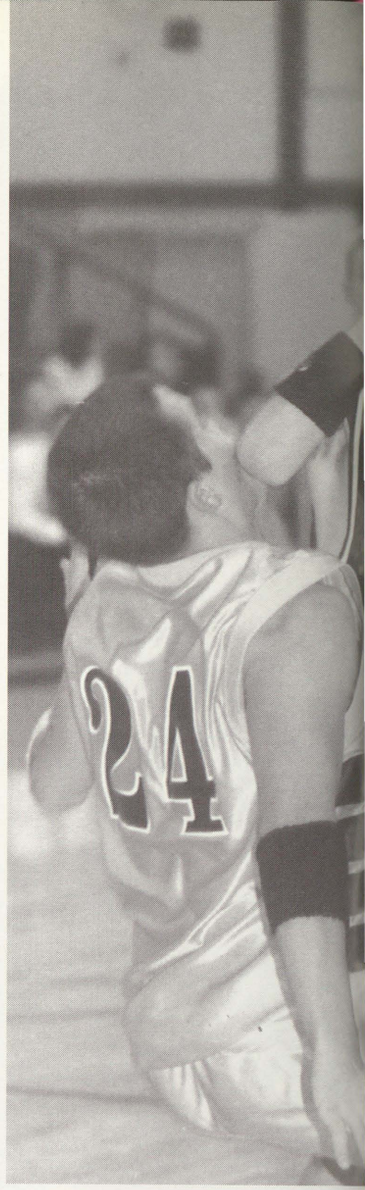

" T h i s basketball season has saddened me!"

-Chris Breiler

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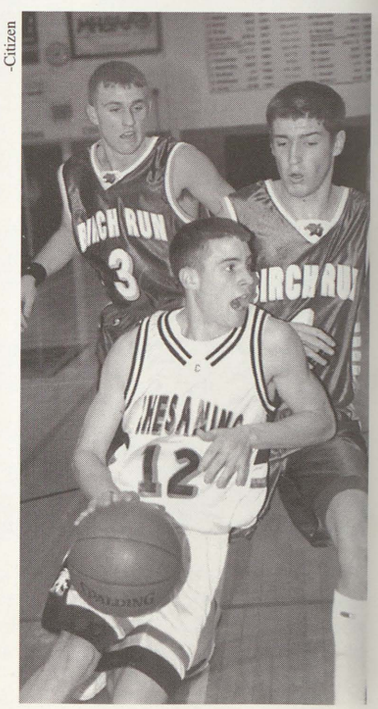
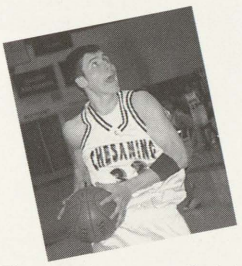
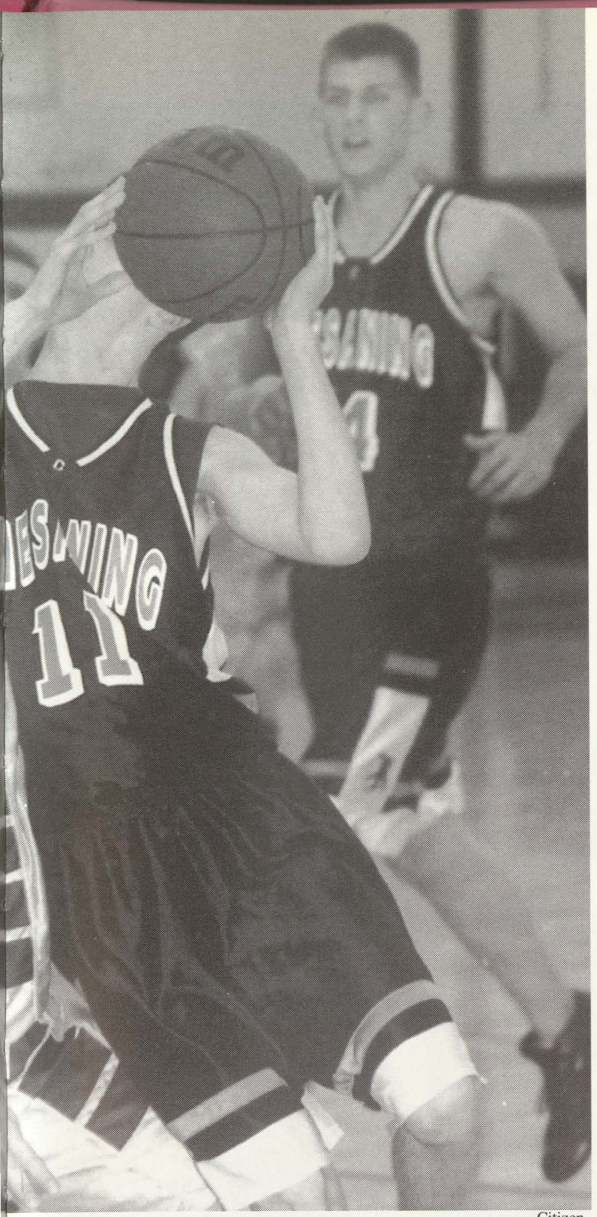


GOING BASELINE. Senior Dustin Gross drives around the opposition on his way to the hoop. "This year we worked a lot better as a team but we just had bad luck. Every game the luck just seemed to not be on our side," said Dustin.

Playing To Win



Despite the losses, the new attitude for the team was play-to-win, not play-and-try-not-to-lose.



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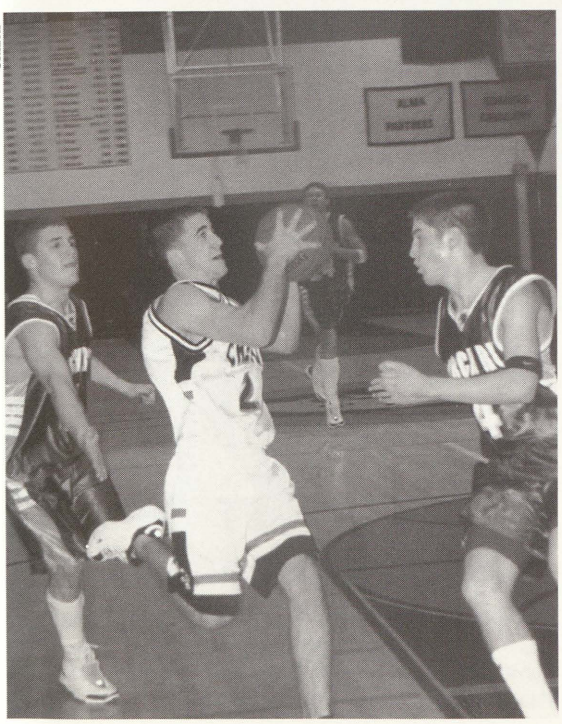
DRAWING THE FOUL. Junior Brett Hoerner drives to the hole as he draws a blocking foul from his defender. "This year just wasn't our year, it was tough on us for the way we worked because we tried to do our best and it just didn't go our way," said Brett.

The varsity team finished dead last in the MMC this year, but not all was lost. The Indian cagers brought their fans excitement on any given Tuesday or Friday night. In a home game against Birch Run the Indians provided their fans with a thriller. With just seconds remaining in the game the Panthers hit a three to break a tie game at 44 a piece. With the Tribe trailing 47-44 and only 3 seconds left on the clock, the Indians looked doomed. Coach Tim Haist called a timeout to set up the team's final play. The play was designed for Matt Kulhanek to inbound the ball to Chris Barancik, who was to hand it off to Dustin Gross. The play didn't quite go as it was designed. The pass to Barancik was tipped and Marc Rehmann recovered the loose ball at half court. Rehmann heaved the ball into the air as the clock ran out and banked it off the glass for the game tying shot. The crowd erupted in sheer joy as the Indians took the game into overtime. In overtime the Tribe fell behind again late only to succeed in spoiling the Birch Run's efforts once again. A lay-up from Dustin Gross and two clutch threes from Kellen Lister put the Indians ahead for good. "Our execution was great down the stretch. We had clutch shooting, set good screens, and everyone with a uniform on contributed to the win. Overall, it was a great team effort," said Haist.

The Indians pulled another upset in the first round of the districts. The Tribe faced Alma, a team which had beat the previous two times, and destroyed the Panthers. Juniors Tyler Alden and Brett Hoerner had stellar performances to lead the varsity cagers past Alma 66-56. Alden scored 20 points and snarred 10 rebounds, while Hoerner netted 21 points and had 4 steals. The Indians fell to Nouvel Catholic Central in the district semi-final game. "No one expected us to win a district game and we did, we're proud of that", said Coach Haist.

-Zac Alden



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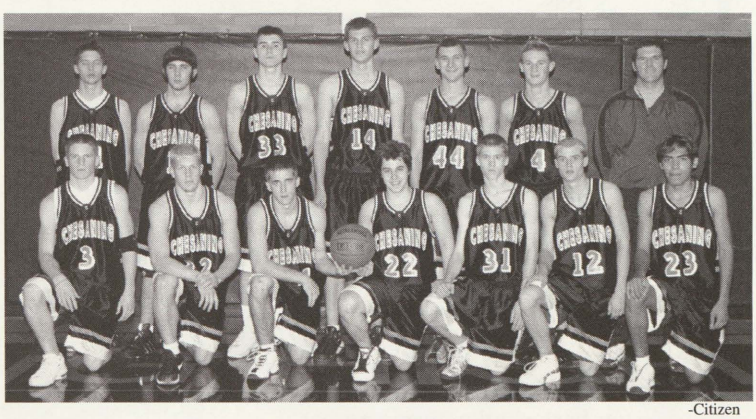
BREAKING THE PRESS. Senior Justin Birchmeier gets the lead pass to break the press and takes it strong to the hole. "This year did not turn out the way that we hoped. We had a lot of games where we could've won the game but we just always got off to a slow start, and we just dug our hole too deep in the beginning of the game," commented Justin.



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VARSITY BASKETBALL. *Front:* Tyler Alden, Chris Barancik, Justin Birchmeier, Marc Rehmann, Ryan Beckman, Dustin Gross, Esteban Escamilla. *Back:* Brett Hoerner, Chris Breiler, Matt Kulhanek, Craig Nielsen, Brent Haney, Kellen Lister, Coach Haist.

Sarah Tithof

Carla Koan

J.V. Volleyball

Fulton	15-9, 8-15, 15-5
St. Johns	3-15, 16-14, 3-15
Greenville	15-8, 7-15, 15-9
Owosso	15-8, 12-15, 16-14
Alma	15-9, 15-4
Ionia	13-15, 9-15
Mt. Pleasant	6-15, 8-15
Ovid-Elsie	13-15, 6-15
Corunna	15-6, 15-11
Durand	11-15, 10-15
St. Charles	15-4, 15-4
Record	**6-5**

Freshman Volleyball

St. Johns	12-15, 5-15
Greenville	15-7, 15-7
Owosso	10-15, 15-4, 14-16
Alma	4-15, 9-15
Mt. Pleasant	4-15, 5-15
Ovid-Elsie	11-15, 15-6, 15-2
Corunna	6-15, 15-10, 11-15
Durand	16-14, 15-13
St. Charles	10-15, 15-1, 15-9
Montrose	15-4, 15-10
Record	**5-5**

GET OUTTA HERE! Sophomore Courtney Jordan jumps and slams the ball back at her opponents. Courtney was a big force in the front for the girls.

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STRETCHING FOR THE BLOCK. Freshman Jennifer Moore jumps up and attempts the block. This year gave the girls a chance to get to know each other.

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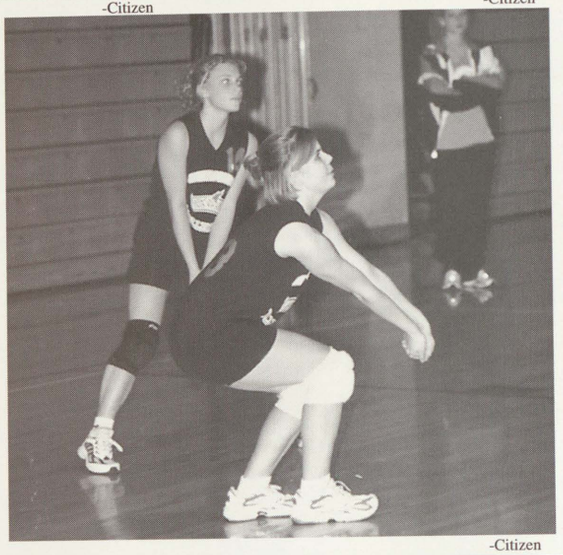
CAN YOU DIG IT? Freshman Tanya Hasse gets down in her stance as the ball heads her way. Tanya was an all around player, she played the front and back.



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FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL. *Front*: Amanda Clark, Jennifer Moore, Charlene Schneider, Nika Fesler, Mallorie Vrable, Brooke Devereaux. *Back*: Coach Cohagen, Jalayna Chludil, Laura Hunt, Nicole Ryckaert, Kristin Prince, Sarah Cacciola, Tanya Hasse.

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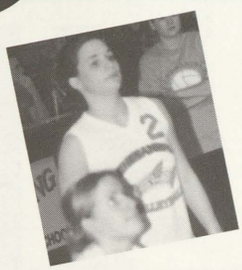
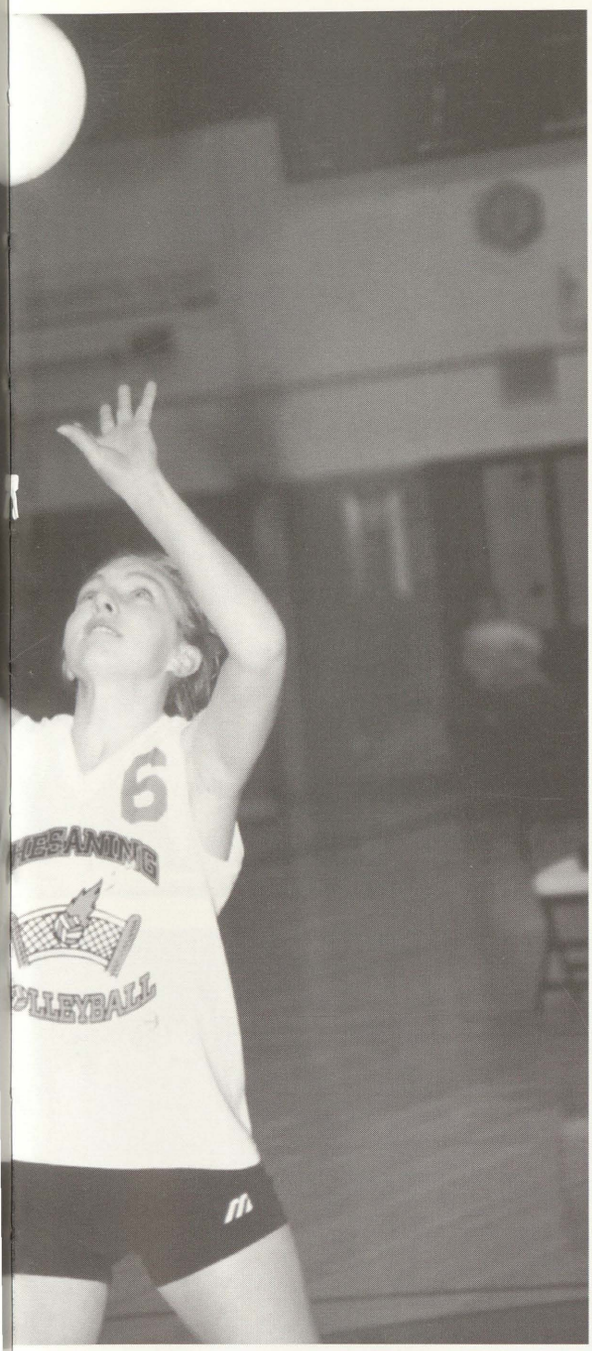
JV VOLLEYBALL. *Front:* Chelsea Vincke, Mary Morris, Jenn
Righi, Gina Glasscock, Rebecca Card, Courtney Jordan. *Back*
Coach Brooke Smith, Kaye Bitterman, Kristi Bitterman, Trish
Fisher, Ashley Weisenberger, Trisha Brian.

Diggin' A Win



The junior varsity spikers enjoyed beating up on their conference foes this season.



IT'S ALL IN THE FINGERTIPS. Sophomore Chelsea Vincke puts her hands up high and sets the ball for her teammates. "This volleyball season we've learned a lot, had lots of fun, and had a half and half season," commented Chelsea.

The Indians games against MMC members Greenville and Alma were highlights of the season. The JV netters defeated Greenville in an exciting three-game match. The Tribe took the first game 15-8. The Yellowjackets battled back in the second game to capture a 15-7 victory. The Indians recovered in the third game and won 15-9 to take the match. Becki Card played a well rounded game with twelve sets, three assists and one kill. Courtney Jordan and Jenna Righi added one kill each. Jordan also had three assists and a block while Righi contributed with six digs. Ashley Weisenberger served 15 points with three aces.

Against Alma the Indian spikers turned in one of their most impressive performances. The Tribe defeated the Panthers in just two games 15-9, 15-4. Trisha Brian served up seven points with three aces and added two blocks. Becki Card led the team with eight digs, sixteen sets and one kill. Card served for five points against Alma as well.

The ladies knew how to have fun along with winning. Players often goofed around at practice and before games. "I remember at one game Gina Glasscock was running around screaming and cheering and she fell into the bleachers. It was really funny," said Courtney Jordan.

The freshman volleyball team didn't win as many games as the junior varsity team, but the girls put everything they had into every game. "Our team was pretty good. I didn't get to play as much as I would have liked but it was still fun. I used to serve the ball, until all my serves kept going into the stands. My coach wouldn't let me serve anymore after that," said Jenny Moore.

-Zac Alden

Corey Birchmeier

"Our season did not go to well this year, but we had a lot of fun doing it."

-Charlene Schneider

PEP TALK. Coach Smith calls a timeout and talks with her players on the sideline. This year was her first year as J.V. head coach.

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Varsity Volleyball

St. Johns	8-15, 8-15
Greenville	15-13, 15-6
Owosso	10-15, 9-15
Alma	4-15, 5-15
St. Louis	9-15, 2-15
Ionia	10-15, 15-10, 12-15
Mt. Pleasant	17-15, 11-15, 11-15
Ovid-Elsie	15-3, 12-15, 15-8
Corunna	15-12, 8-15, 8-15
Durand	8-15, 1-15
Ovid-Elsie	8-15, 15-7, 10-15
Corunna	15-13, 12-15, 14-16
St. Charles	15-0, 15-13
Corunna	1-15, 3-15
Record	**2-9**
MMC	**1-6**

Mark Gasper

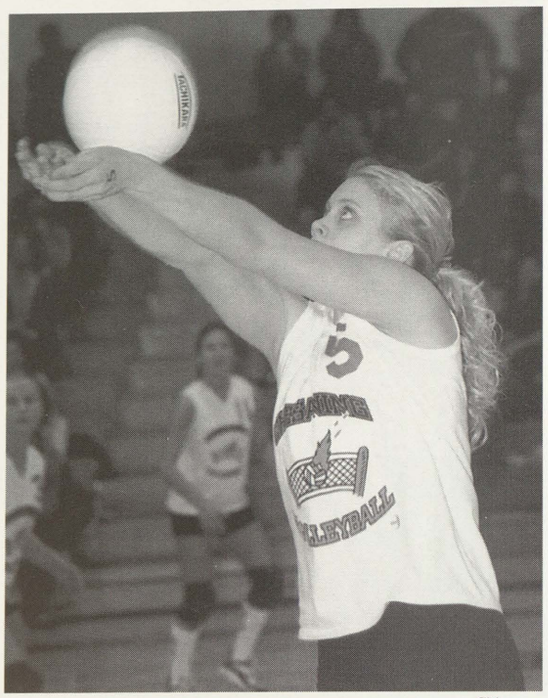
COACH'S CORNER

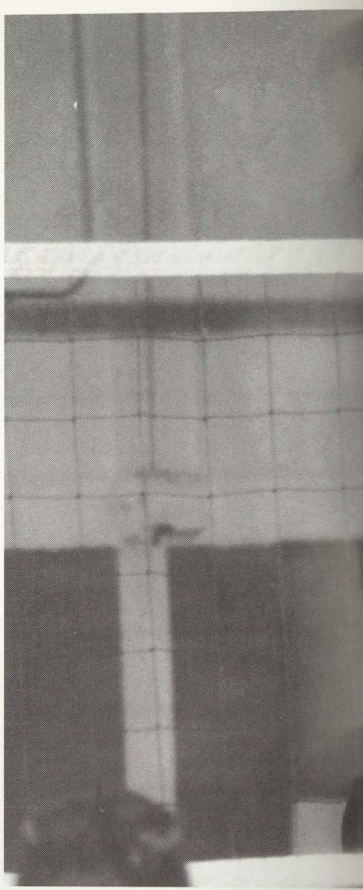
Varsity Volleyball Head Coach David Forsyth was impressed with the never-say-die attitude of his team.

"The 2002 volleyball squad is a group with diverse and many talents. In many ways, I've not coached a more talented group. Our record may not lead any to that same conclusion, but putting together a volleyball team is a tough business; all the parts must mesh with some precision. We've been working on that meshing this season. The one thing that I am most proud of for these girls is that no matter how far we were from 15 and no matter how close the other team was, this team never quit trying. Too many teams might have gotten the better of us this year according to the score, but for spirit, heart, and grittiness on the court, the Indians haven't much competition," complimented Coach Forsyth.

CONCENTRATION. Junior Jessie Stewart keeps her eyes on the ball as she attempts to set it up for her teammates. Jessie recalls the Ithaca tournament, "We all bought Valentine's Day shirts because it was called the Sweetheart Tournament. We decided to wear them on Valentine's Day since we had a game."

SOARING HIGH. Senior Annie Weisenberger gets up high to slam the ball down at the opposing team. "This year we played Corunna on Valentine's Day, so we all decided that we would bring balloons from our boyfriends to the game and put them on the back of our chair, but the sad thing about it was that we bought the balloons ourselves, just to make us feel good and look special," laughed Annie.





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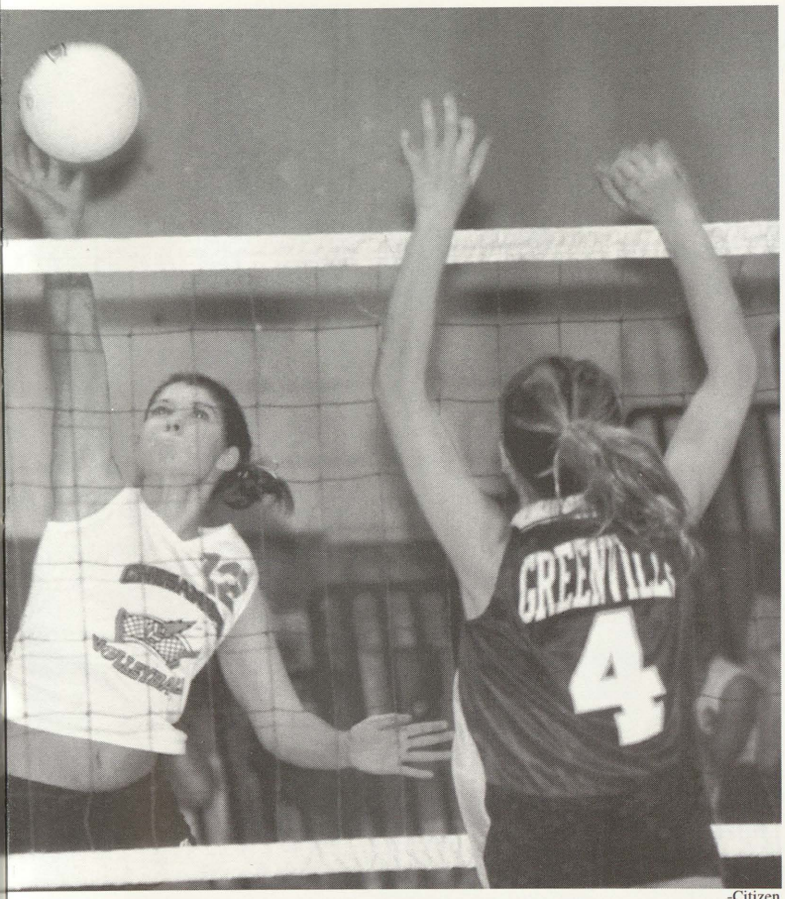
TEAM WORK! Seniors Michelle Agnew and Melanie Vrable are full of smiles as they prepare to set up their next play. "My nickname during the season was mono-face because I missed a month of volleyball from being sick," said Melanie.

BUMP IT! Senior Karolyn Hemker prepares herself as she waits to bump the ball to one of her teammates. Karolyn especially liked to play Shepherd. "Our team thought some girl's boyfriend from Shepherd was so hot, and we named him 'Kyle.' We stalked him at every tournament," said Karolyn.



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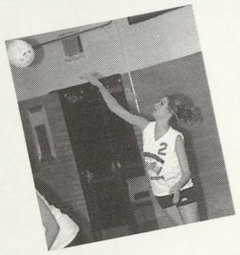
Tight Team



The varsity Indian spikers were looking at a successful season early in the year, but then the mono bug decided to alter their plans.

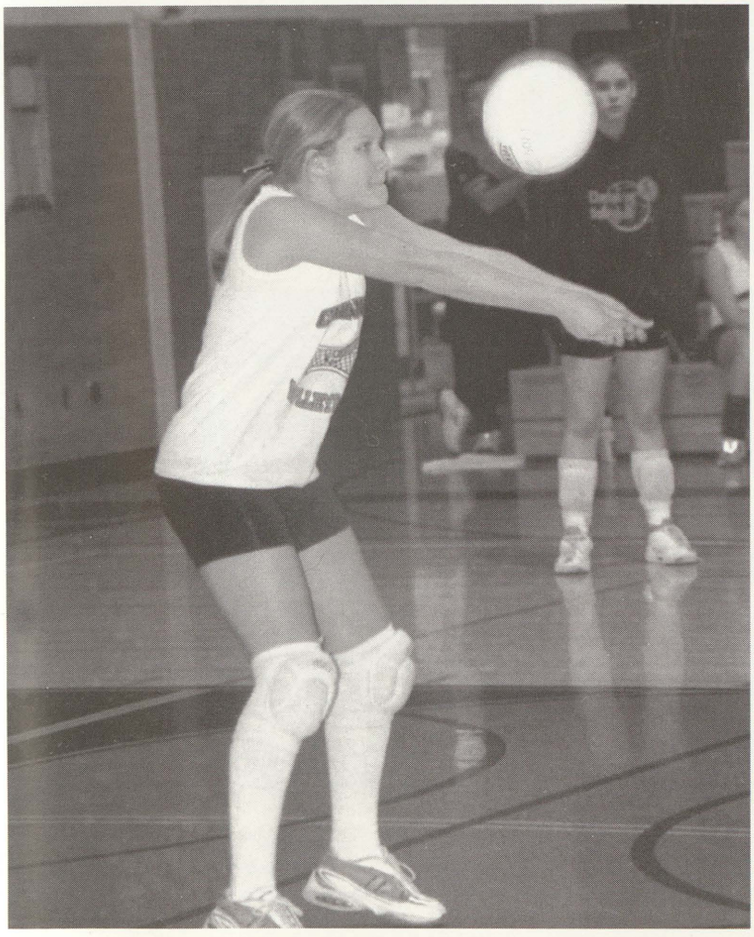
As teammate after teammate was sidelined with the "kissing disease" the losses piled up. However, the lady Indians' efforts never died.

When the Indians were at full strength they were a team to be reckoned with; such the case when the Tribe played Greenville. The varsity spikers defeated the Yellowjackets in just two games 15-13, 15-6. Senior Annie Weisenberger came up big for the Indians by leading the team in both serves with ten; one ace and twelve digs. Annie also added six kills and two blocks. Kylee Kunik and Melanie Vrable, also seniors, played good games for the Tribe too. Kunik served for seven points with one ace and added nine digs. Kunik also contributed with five kills. Vrable led the team with 15 assists. Melanie chipped in with 11 digs as well. Senior leadership was one of the Indians strongest areas this season and it was evident in this game against Greenville.

"We played phenomenal volleyball against Greenville," said coach Forsyth. "When the girls were in a groove, it was as though they were completely in scouted territory: they knew every inch of the court and picked the choicest spots to attack. It was fun to watch them play this one."

The Indian netters played strong in this year's Birch Run tournament, but illnesses were too much for the spikers to overcome. They went 0-2 in pool play, dropping three set matches to Concord and Montrose. The ladies fared better in power pool play going 1-1. The Tribe fell to Marysville 15-7, 15-6, but prevailed over Linden 15-7, 15-6. The Indians were elminated from tournament play by tie-breakers.

-Zac Alden



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VARSITY VOLLEYBALL. *Front:* Kylee Kunik, Rebecca Gengler, Karolyn Hemker, Jessica Zajdlik, Melanie Vrable. *Back:* Melissa Bitterman, Meghan Strachota, Michelle Agnew, Annie Weisenberger, Jessica Stewart, Coach Forsyth.

Alex Beckman

Competitive Cheerleading

Lapeer East Inv.	1st
Grandville Inv.	1st
Sanford Meridian Inv.	1st
Novi Inv.	1st
St.Johns	1st
Mount Pleasant Inv.	1st
Chesaning Inv.	2nd
Dewitt Inv.	1st
Regionals	1st
States	2nd

CHEER WITH HEART. This year, the cheerleaders put this brand new stunt in their round three. This stunt has never been done in the state of Michigan. It was easy to see that this stunt was a crowd favorite.

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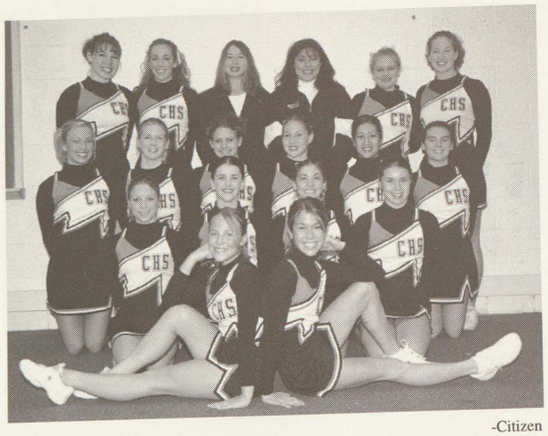

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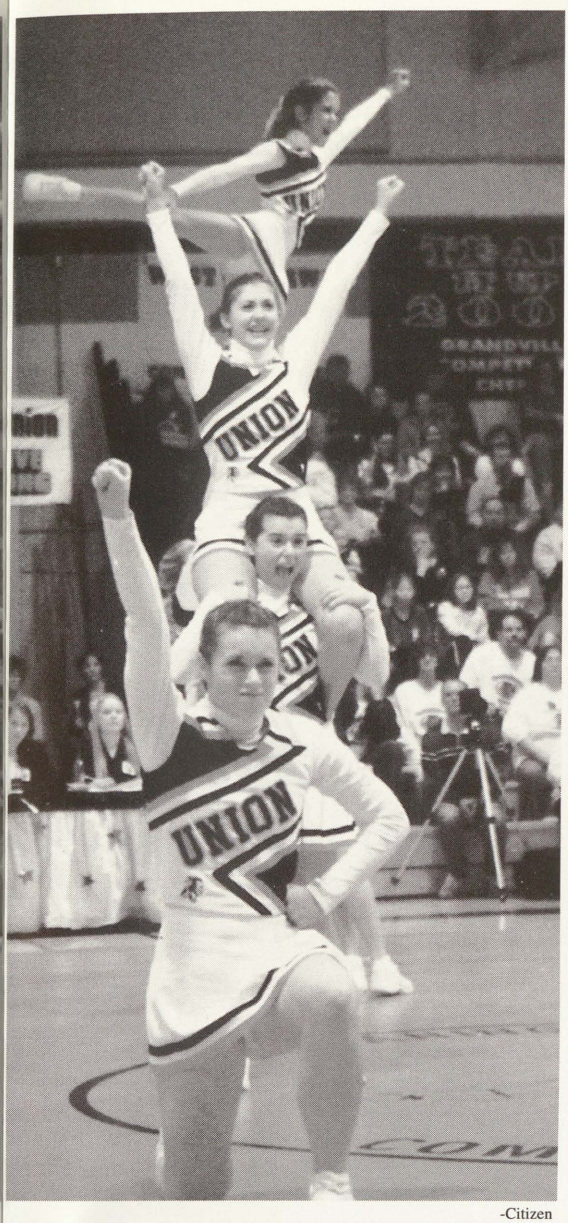
COMPETITIVE CHEERLEADING. *Front:* Savannah Rupple, Courtney Kunik. *Row 2:* Melissa Gengler, Blair Gieksen, Kayla Haughton, Lyndsay Gross. *Row 3:* Jennifer Anderson, Cara Gross, Amanda Wirgau, Tiffany Witt, Natalie George, Joslyn Lary. *Back:* Brandi Bitterman, Kelly Amman, Coach Benavidez, Coach Maike, Malissa Priest, Crystal Wirostek.

-Citizen

TAKING A KNEE. "By the end of round three all you have left is your adrenaline to get you through it. At home competition we could hardly hear each other because our crowd was so big, and they were yelling loud. It pumped me up so much," says Amanda Wirgau. "I will always remember Sheila Giesken in the sta screaming for us."



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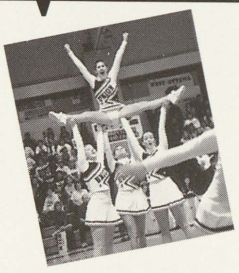
UNION TOTEM POLE. "I love that stunt. Courtney is rock solid and she hits it every time. We put it up in a regular one foot liberty, then she extends her foot into an arabesque position. Then we all say to the crowd 'On the wild side!'" said Tiffany Witt. Tiffany serves as the base of this stunt along with Cara Gross and back spot Jenny Anderson.

Wild Side



A continued top-ranking put pressure on the team to succeed.

The Cheer Team placed second in the State finals, and four team members were awarded All-State Honors at Grand Valley State University on March 2. A rousing group of CHS supporters came to cheer on the girls, who fell to the only team which had beaten them earlier in the season, Gross Ile.

The cheerleaders' parents were very supportive throughout the enire season. Each competition the girls received bags filled with items such as huge Hershey candy bars, juice, candy, fruit snacks, and other fun items.

Every Sunday early in the mornings after competitions a gymnastic's coach, John, would come in and help the girls. Kelly Amman says, "I love John. He is fabulous! I remember one day he was teasing Brandi so she would get mad and do her skill. He told her she probably went home and wore pink dresses all the time. That made Brandi mad and she began to chase him around the room."

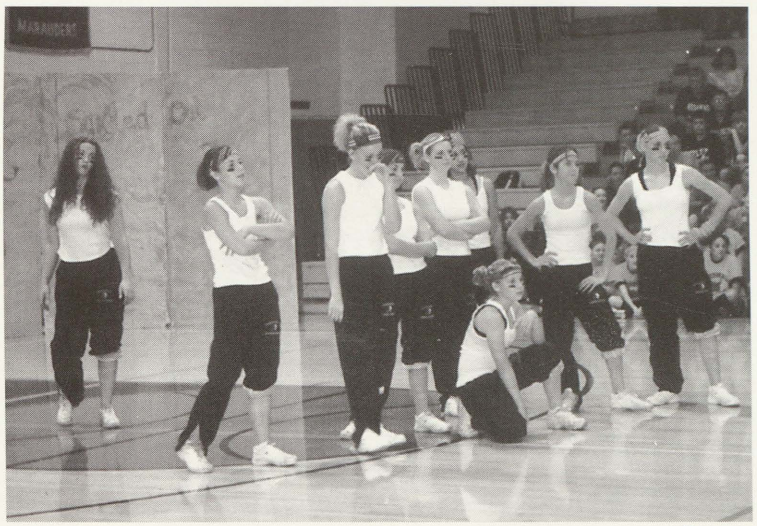
After each competition all the parents and cheerleaders meet at someone's house to watch the tape of their cheering. "After the competitions WE EAT! We watch the video and criticize what we did. We also watch our competition and see what they did. We always have lots of good food. One time we were at Amanda Wirgau's, her mom ordered so many pizzas that it took up the entire table. I wanted to eat every one but I couldn't," says junior Joslyn Lary.

-Amanda Wirgau

Michelle Gutzwiller

-Citizen

SIDELINE CHEERLEADING. *Front:* Chelsey Fry, Chelsey Giesken, Betsy Gewirtz, Tricia King. *Row 2*: Julie Sparks, AndressaVanHorn, Hannah McDougall. *Back:* Coach McAlpine, April Kadlec, Tricia Coole, Coach Parks.



-J. Shaw

GHETTO GIRLS! The cheerleaders perform a pretty girl/ghetto girl skit for the school during spirit week. Even some of the football players practiced a cheer of their own for the skit, impressing the crowd.

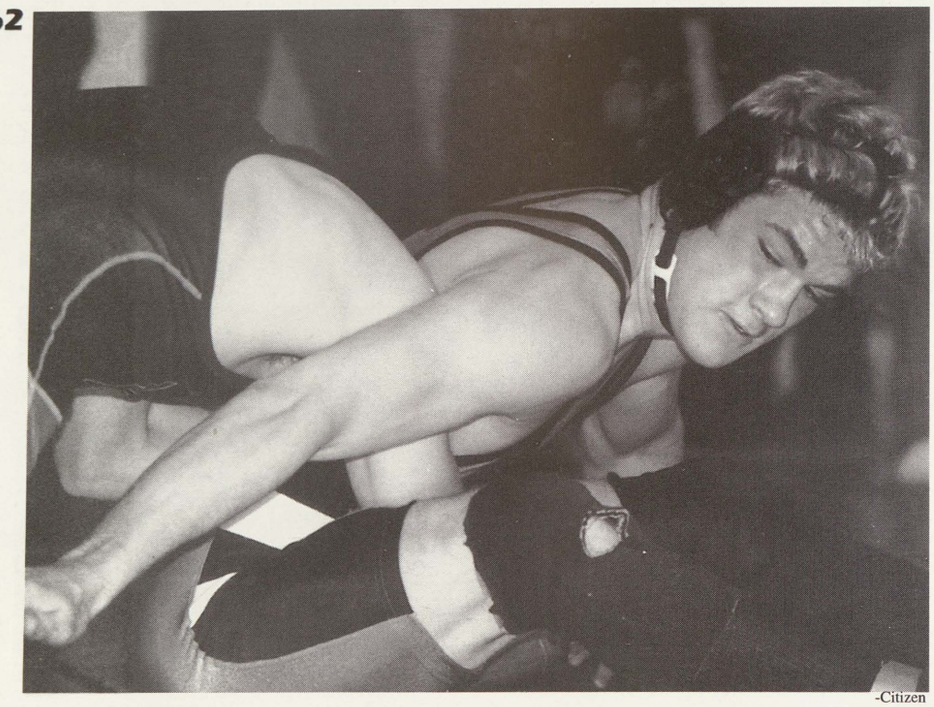
Sports

Wrestling

Fulton	50-18
Breckenridge	60-18
Merrill	54-12
Hemlock	33-36
Montabella	30-54
Gibralter Carlson	36-38
Marlette	45-21
M.L.S.	60-12
Swan Valley	30-40
Valley Luth.	54-16
Aurthor Hill	51-14
Swartz Creek	36-47
Ovid-Elsie	36-42
Greenville	28-49
Corunna	22-43
Owosso	45-27
Perry	43-26
Pinnconning	48-28
Carrollton	64-12
Nouvel	50-21
Central Montcalm	60-15
Durand	22-51
Ionia	54-24
Alma	33-39
Mt. Pleasant	36-32
Vassar	29-48
Caro	12-61
Yale	24-44
Swan Valley	33-42
Carmen Ainsworth	31-45
St. Johns	33-39
Flushing	46-33
Swartz Creek	12-63
Ovid-Elsie	54-24
Corunna	30-43

Record 17-18

Jessica Richardson



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MAKING THE MOVES. Senior Randy Coole attempts to escape from his Owosso opponent's move and take control of the match. Randy explained, "In this shot, I was going for a switch. I ended up pinning him."

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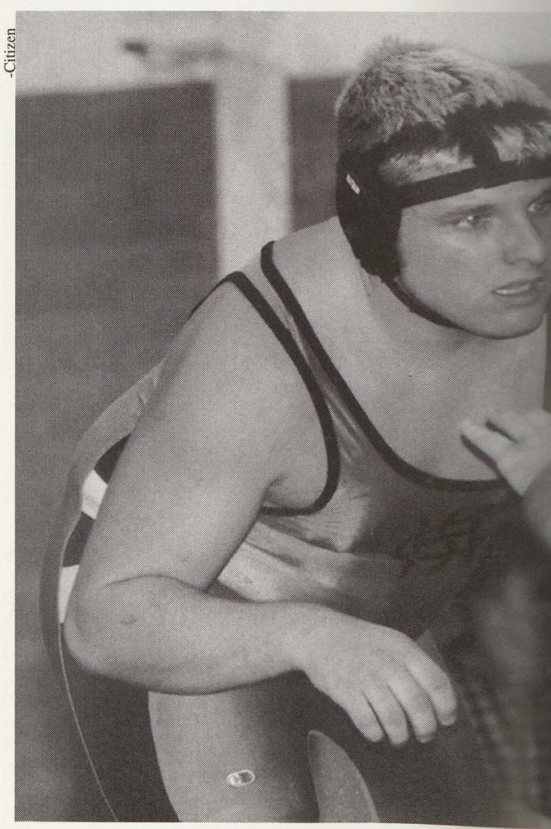

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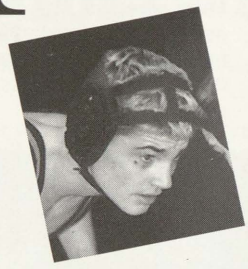
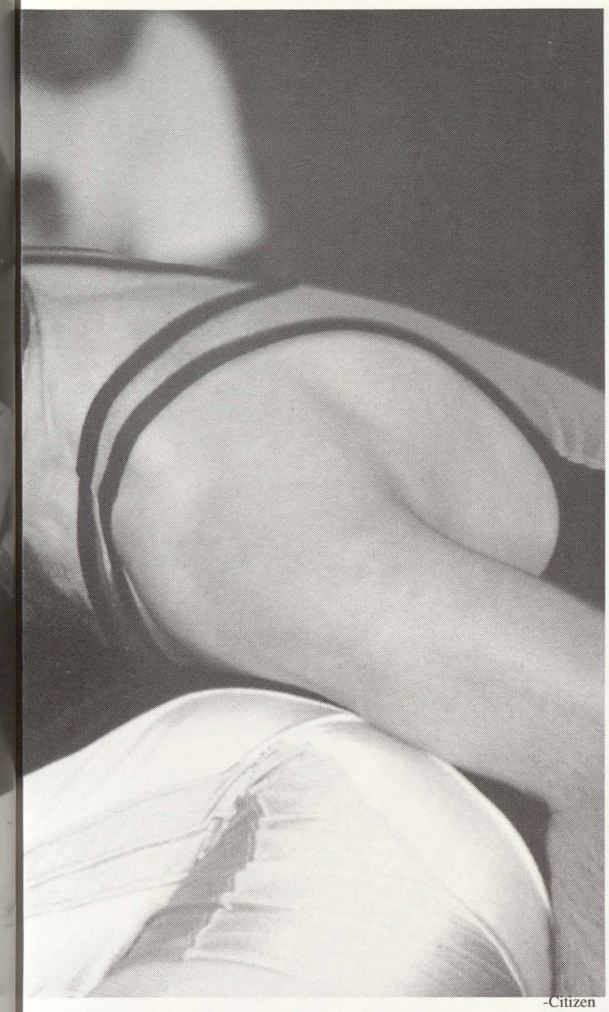


The wrestling team has made tremendous strides in 2002.



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POWER MOVE. Junior Jon Bishop wraps his Corunna opponent up, and roll him over on the mat to go for the pin. Jon's strategy is, "To pin, you have to have heart. To not get pinned, you have to have determination."

LET ME AT HIM! Senior heavyweight Justin Maxa awaits the whistle as he mentally prepares his next move. Justin will miss his wrestling days at CHS, but he says his time on the team has benefited him. "It's hard. It takes a lot of hard work and dedication. The benefits outweigh the work you put into it," Justin said.

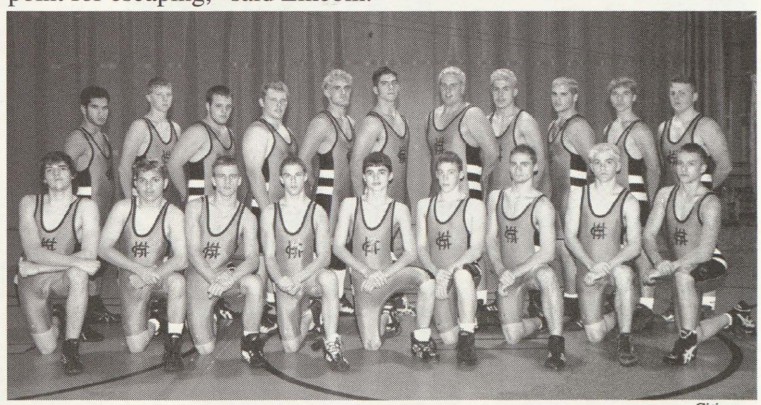
Usually the "doormat" of MMC, the Indians surprised some teams by finishing third in the conference meet among the B team and placing fifth place overall, a dramatic improvement from the years past.

Individually, Justin Maxa has been the top peformer for the Indian mat men at the heavyweight position, finishing first in every regular season event and taking first place at the conference and county meets. "I haven't been challenged too often this season, but I had the hardest time when I wrestled Dan Barnhardt of Mount Pleasant. I wrestled with him for six minutes before I beat him 8-4." said Justin. Although, Maxa did meet his challenge when he faced a broken right hand before states. Maxa was unable to place due to his unfortunate injury. Bryce Walser and Jon Bishop also made it to states with Walser taking a 3rd place finish.

The wrestling team had its fair share of newcomers. Senior Dave Emmendorfer, an avid pro-wrestling fan, decided to try wrestling for the first time. "I didn't want to look back after I graduated and regret never trying out," he said. "But high school wrestling is a lot more serious then the wrestling you see on T.V. Some of the moves they use on pro-wrestling are used in high school, but there is less flash. The moves are more efficient; you just want to be able to take a guy down," said Dave.

Freshman Lincoln Wirgau, also a newcomer who wrestles at 112 pounds, played a major role in the Indians' success. "The highlight of my season was when I wrestled Joe Fulton from Caro. Joe was a state champion last year at the 103 pound division. I knew I had nothing to lose. Fulton, who is a junior, only beat me 2-1. Joe got his two points for taking me down in the first period and in the third period I got a point for escaping," said Lincoln.

-Zac Alden



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WRESTLING. *Front:* Matt Thompson, Michael Rosalez, Matthew Smeltzer, Bryce Walser, Lincoln Wirgau, Josh Brettrager, Cory Martin, Blake Cottrill, Matt Marzluft. *Back:* David Emmendorfer, Kyle Kelbey, Aaron Wilson, Ryan Luft, Randy Coole, Jason Strachota, Justin Maxa, Adam Orth, Jon Bishop, Jarod Hughes, Nicholas Newman.

Sugar & spice. Mr. Langendorfer, middle school principal, and Mrs. Bruff, choir teacher, perform a cheerleading skit at the middle school Halloween Concert. There were songs, skits, a dance and games for the kids.

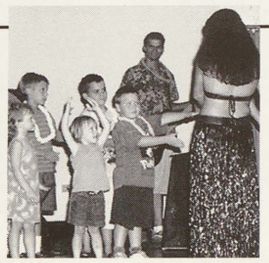
Hot wheels. The annual car show attracts many spectators and competitors to Chesaning in July. Over one hundred hot rods and classic cars are entered in the show each year.

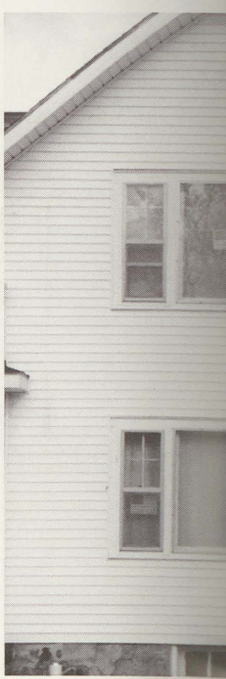
Cara Wendling

PERSONAL VALUES

MATT MCKAY

"I value our rural farming community; it's nice living in the country. I especially enjoy F.F.A. Tractor Day and the tractor show in Oakley," said Matt McKay regarding what he values in life.





FACES AND PLACES

THE VALUE OF COMMUNITY

Cost of a ticket to Showboat...$25.00

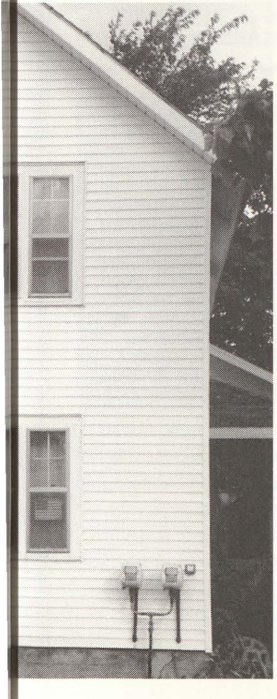
Cost of a one-night stay at the Bonnymill...$100.00

Cost of repairs to high school...$3 million

After the attacks on September 11, many people developed a stronger sense of community and came together for support during this difficult time. In a time of such peril, the importance of a close-knit community becomes even more apparent. As normal activities such as Showboat, the Candlewalk and car shows continue, the underlying patriotism and support will continue to show during this time of war and grief.

Cost of the unity of a small rural town...Priceless.

Chad Schroeder



American pride. A local resident decorates in red, white and blue to support the United States. Many Americans showed their pride by displaying flags on cars, homes and clothing after the terrorists attacks.

Cabin fever. A group of fifth-graders snack on trail mix and listen to a counselor talk about Native Americans. Every year fourth, fifth and sixth-graders attend Hartley Nature Camp in St. Charles to learn about nature, camping and how to survive in the wild.

Balloon madness! A clown creates a balloon flower for a boy and his mother at the annual fireworks show in Showboat Park. Other activities included live bands, face-painting and of course an explosive fireworks display.

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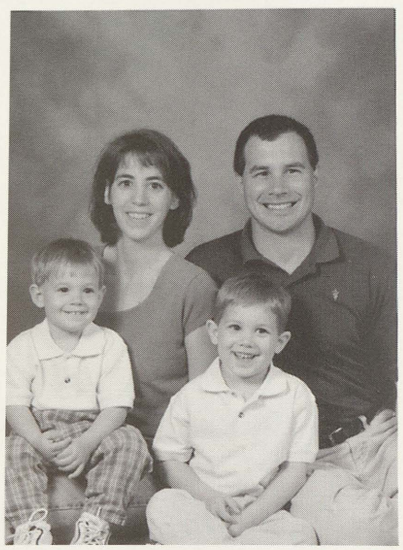

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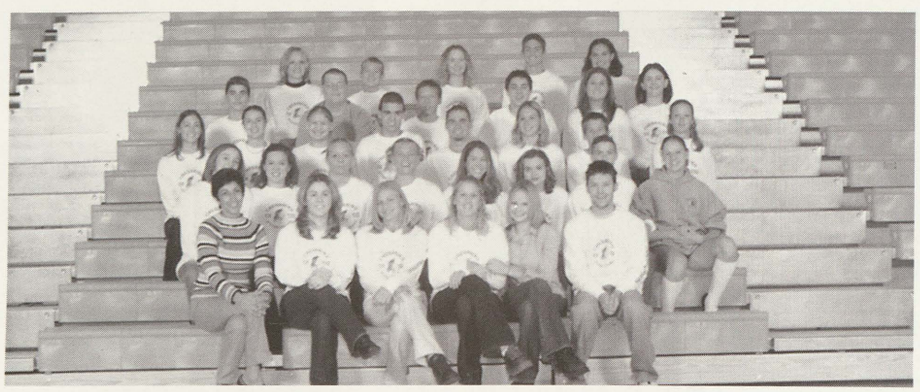

STUDENT COUNCIL *Front:* Mrs. Dewey, Ashlee Giesken, Melanie Vrable, Michelle Agnew, Sara Weigold, Richard Price *Row 2:* Brynn Call, Mary Schneider, Kristin Prince, Mallorie Vrable, Courtney Kunik, Heather Taphouse, Bryce Walser, Kimmy Newton *Row 3:* Kayla Haughton, Lyndsay Gross, Sarah Wagner, Greg Newland, Cory Martin, Tiffany Witt, Karl Shubert, Allyson Parson *Row 4:* Lincoln Wirgau, Travis Holden, Adam Bolf, Marc Rehmann, Ashley Harris, Blair Giesken *Back:* Melissa Bitterman, TJ Aldrich, Carly Selleck, Brad Devereaux, Holly Adelberg

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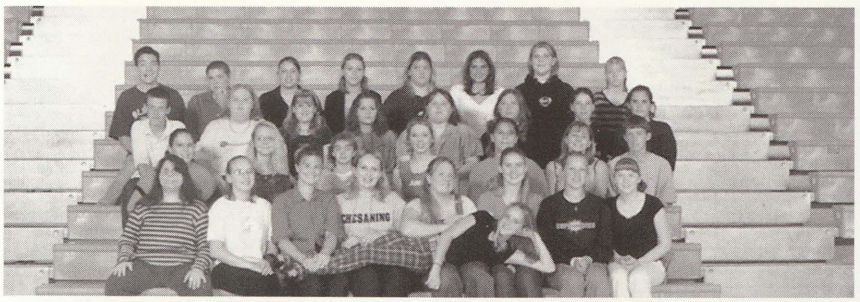

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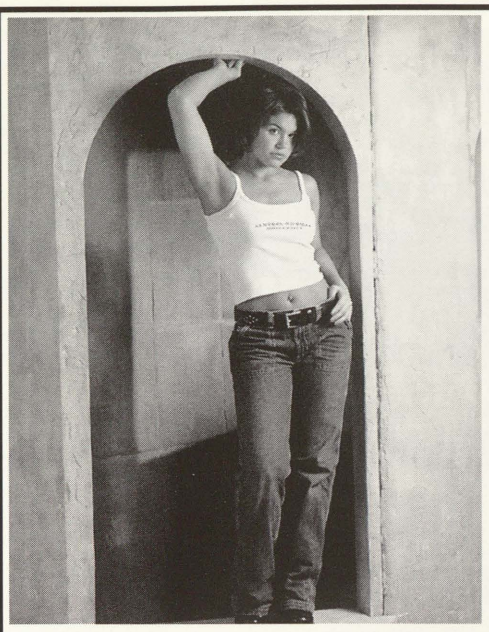

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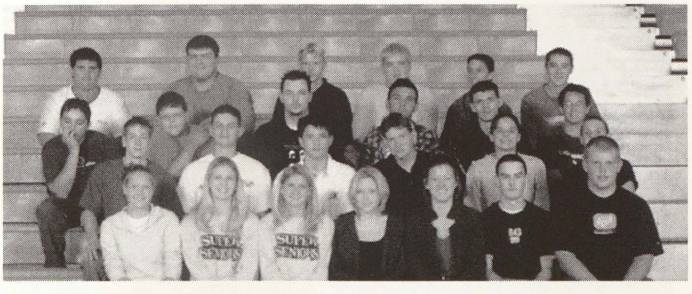

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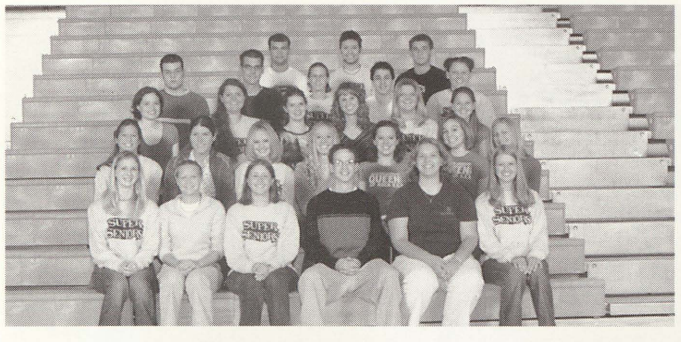

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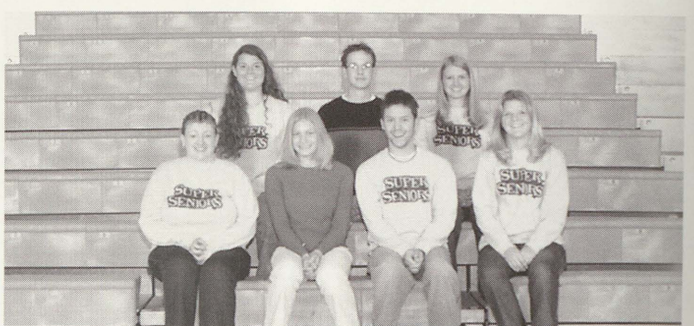

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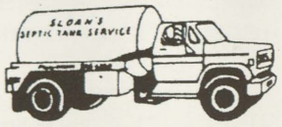

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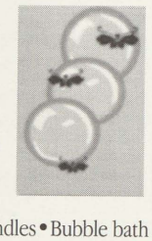

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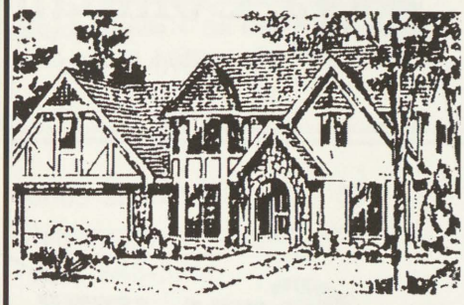

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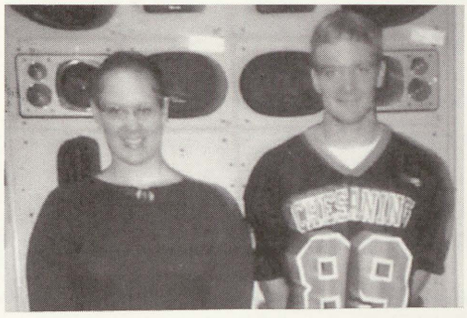

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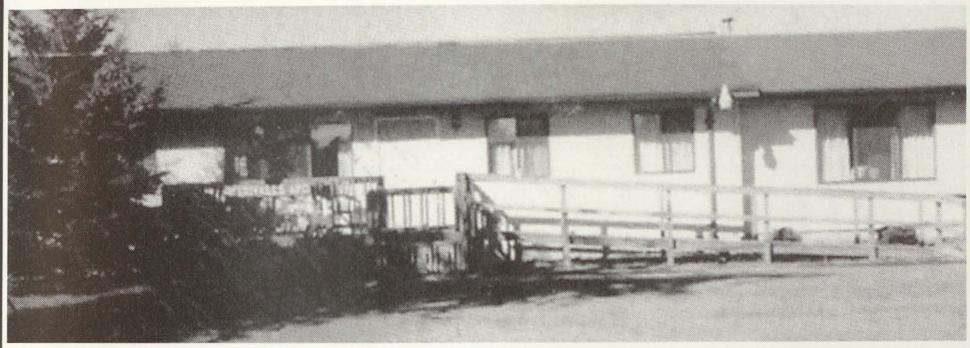

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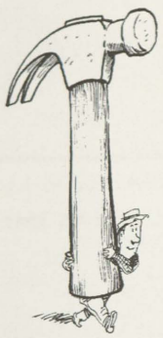

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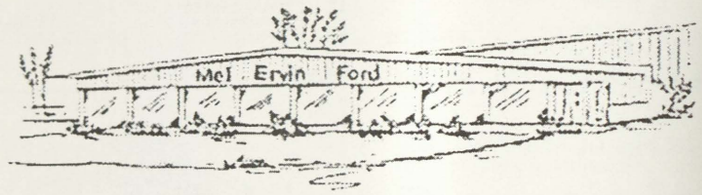

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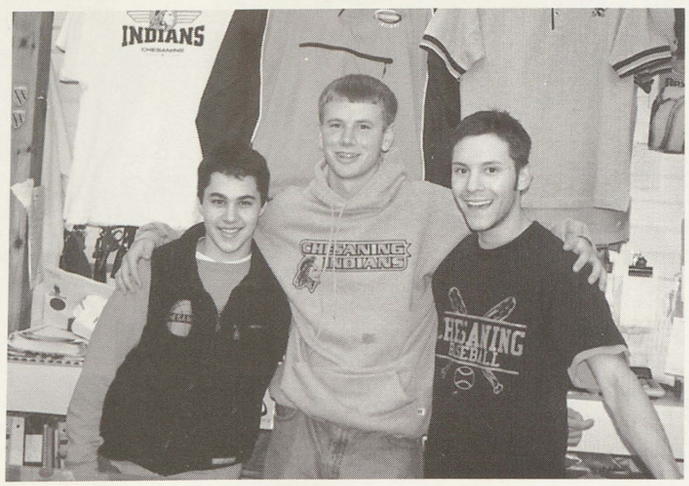

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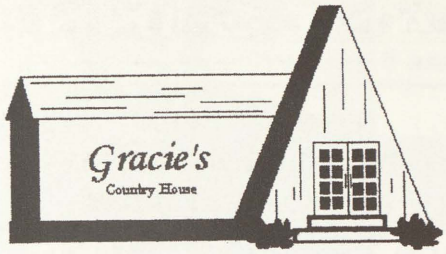

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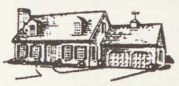

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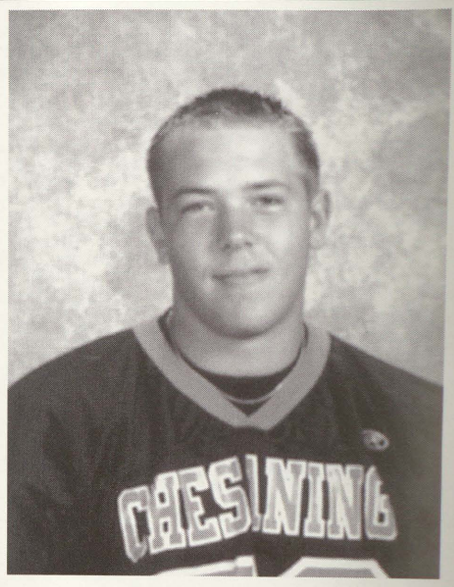

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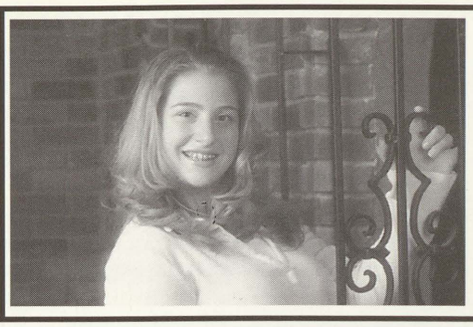

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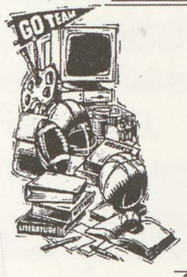

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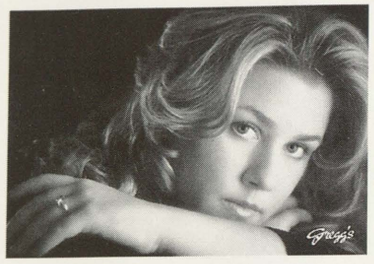

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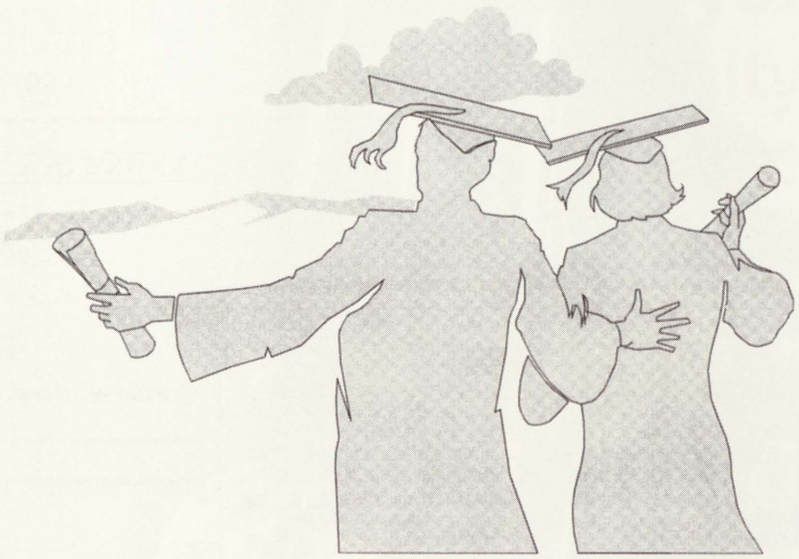

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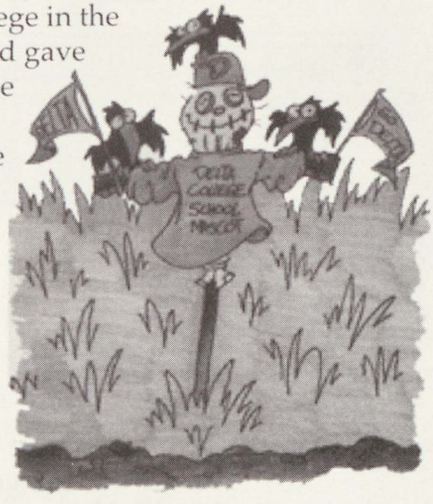

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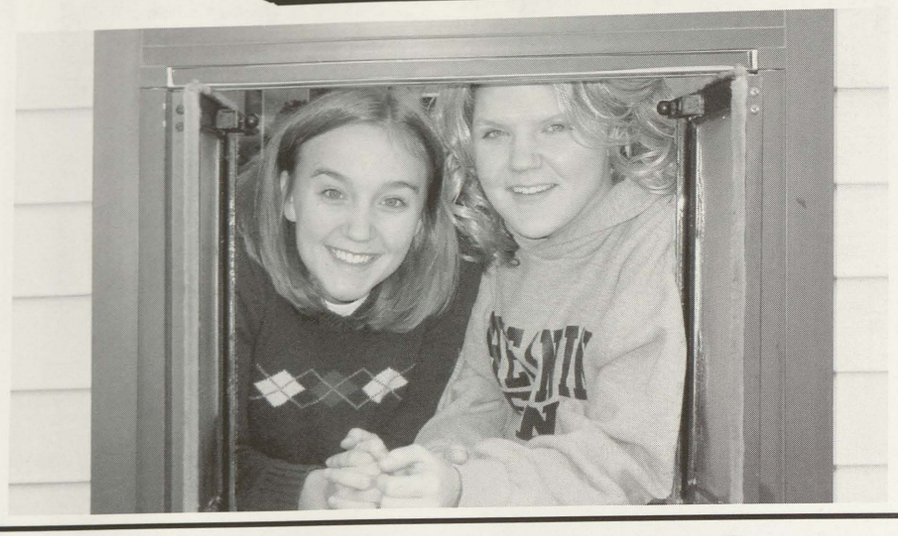

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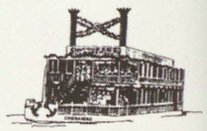

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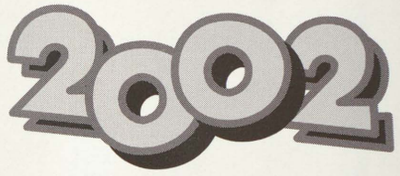

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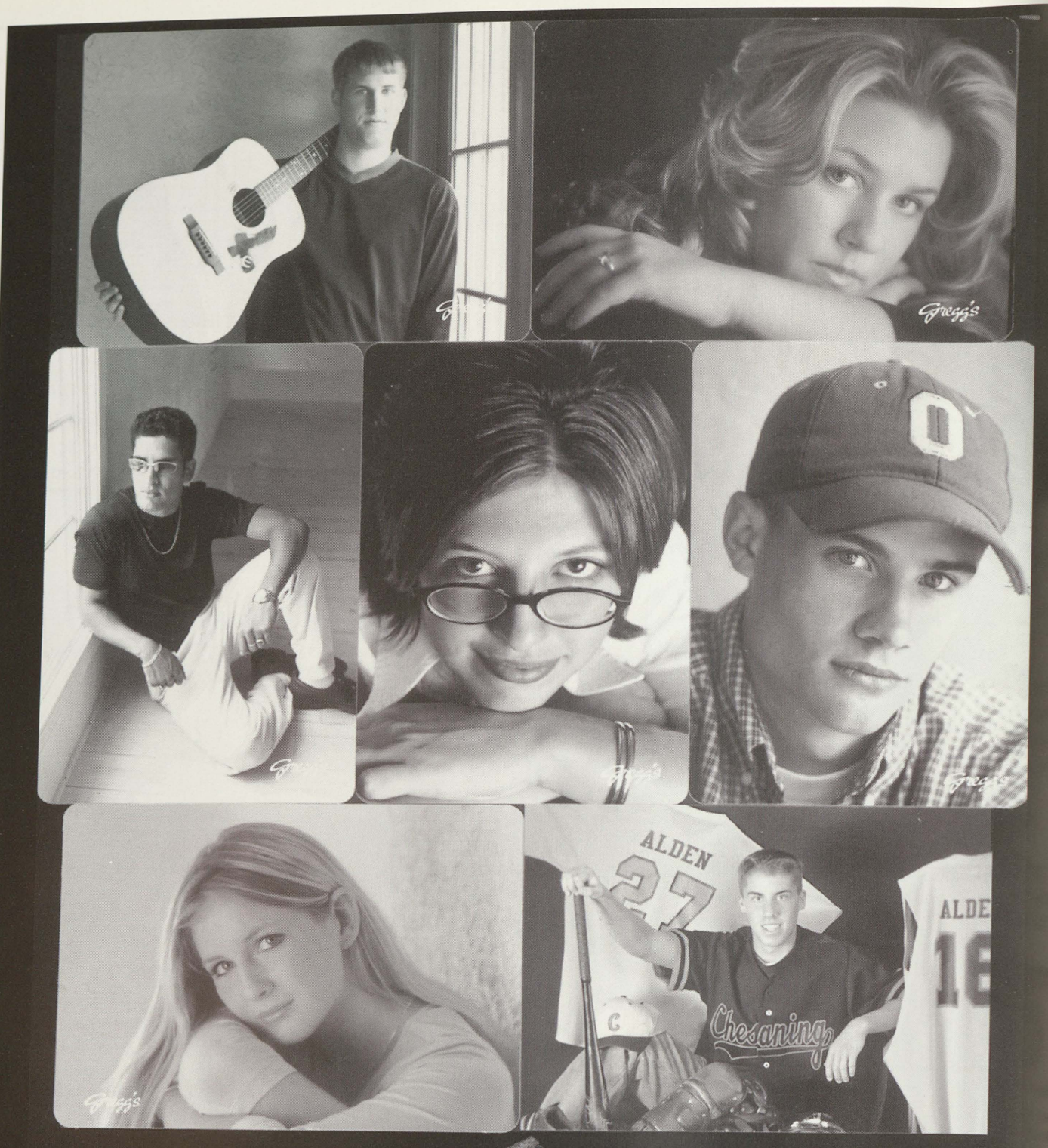

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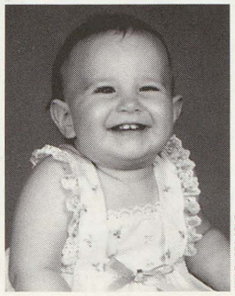

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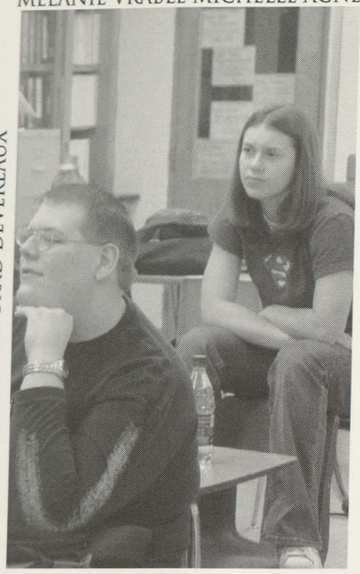

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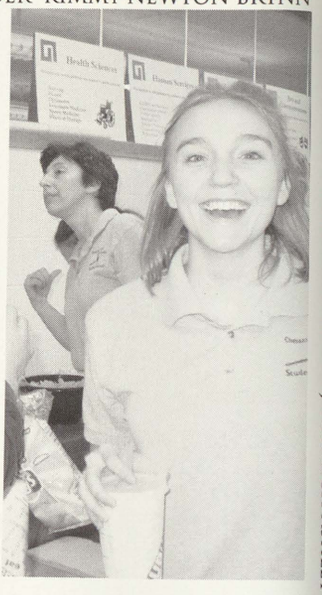

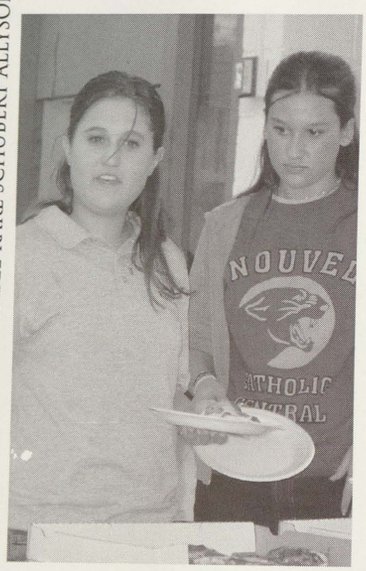

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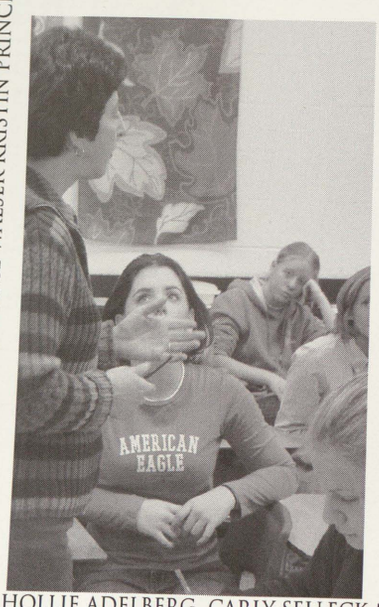

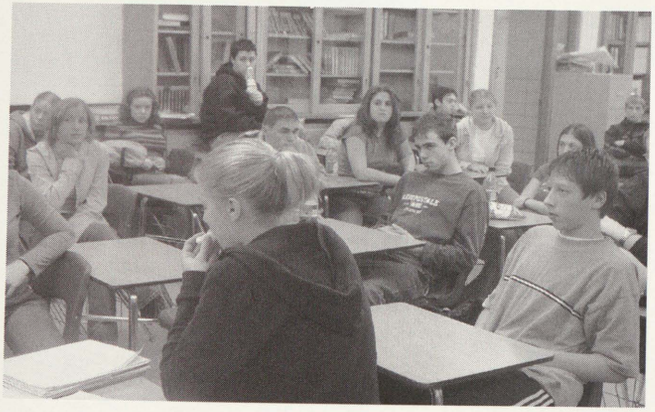

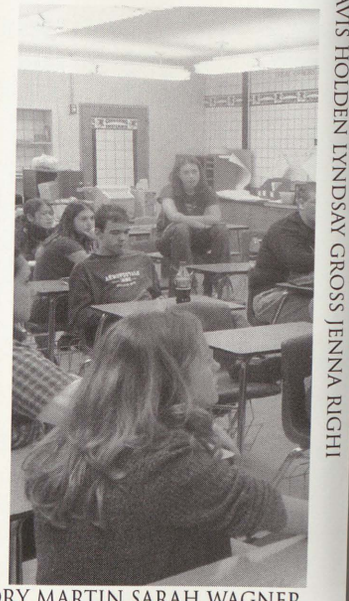

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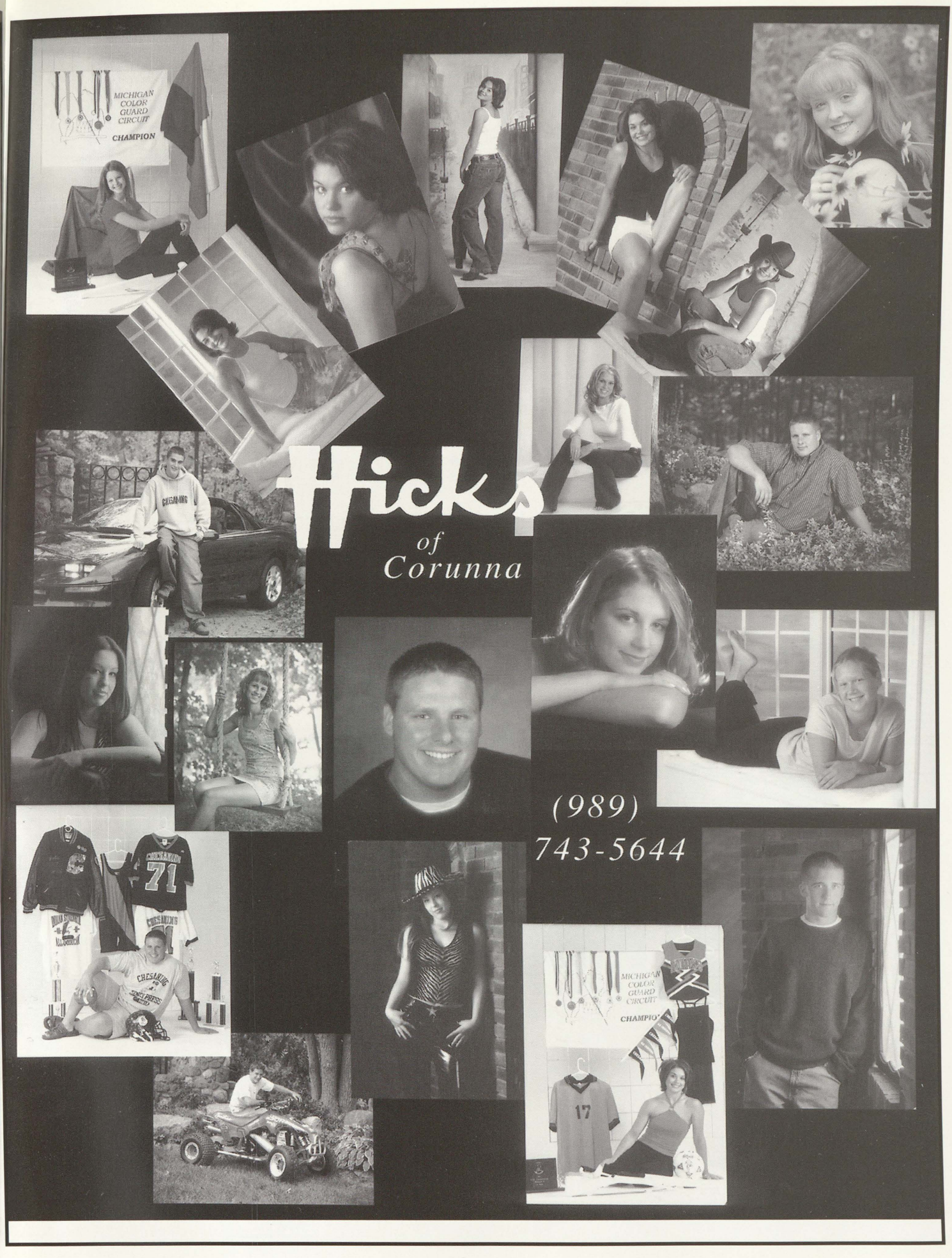
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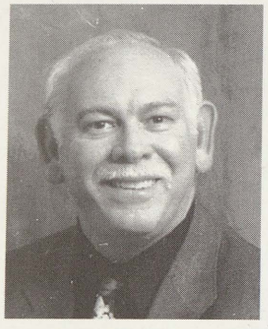

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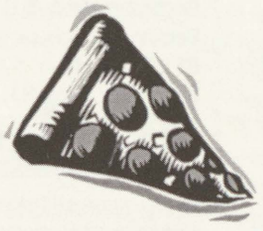

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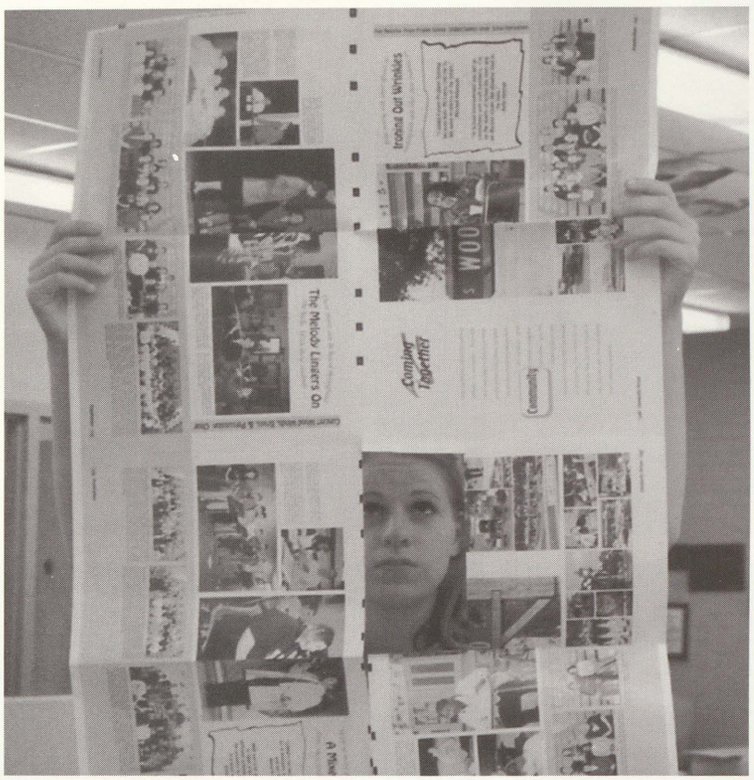
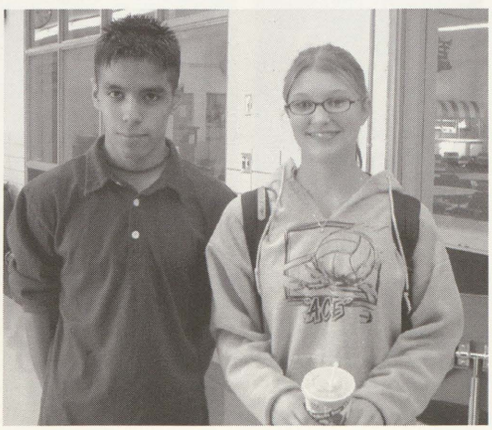


Face value. Kimmy Newton looks for pictures from previous books to make ads for yearbook class. "I really enjoyed yearbook class because I got to help make this book that kids can look back on and always remember the memories," said Kimmy.

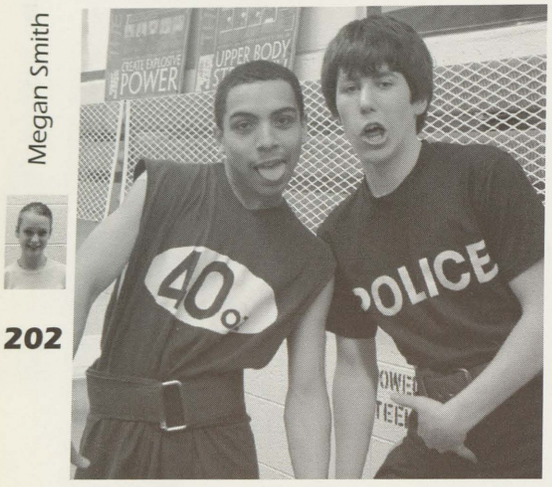
Mapping it out. Mary McPherson and Beth Detwiler work together on an assignment about maps. "I am good friends with Beth, but we only have one class together. In our class we get to cook, draw and we have to take some tests, too," said Mary.

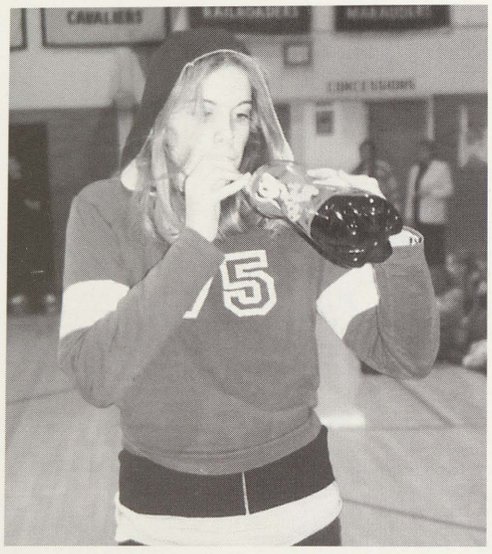
Shop boys. Zack Walser and Jerry Tkaczyk Work on motors in Basic Auto. "I like this class because we get to do hands on stuff. We don't have to do all the book-work that most classes do," said Zack.

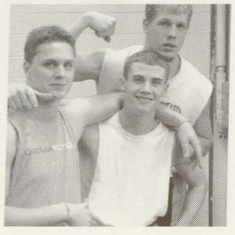


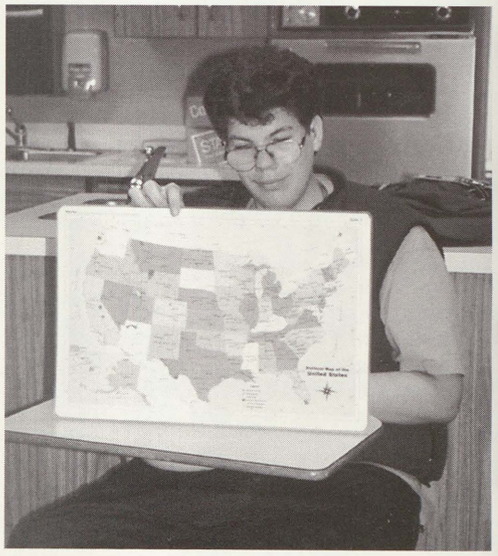
Best buds. Zeke Escamilla and Erin English stop for a snap shot together during a break from class. "Erin is a really cool girl, we got to know each other because we had some classes together," said Zeke.

The real measure of your wealth is how much you would be worth of you lost all your money.
-Author Unknown

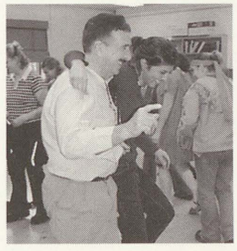


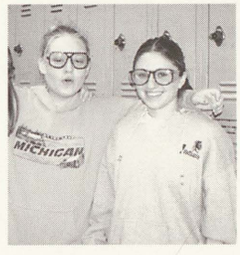


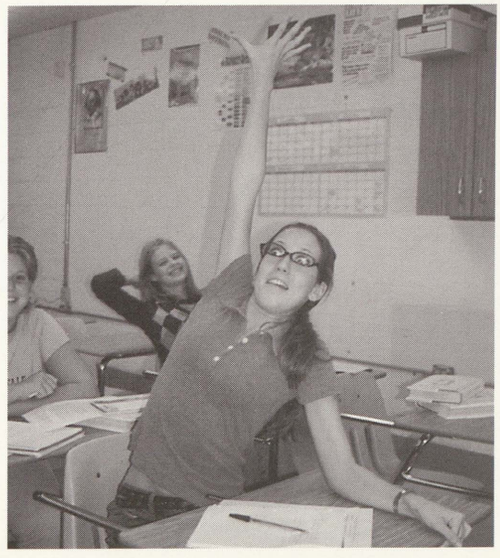




I have never been aware before how many faces there are. There are quantities of human beings, but there are many more faces, for each person has several.
-Rainer Maria Rilke







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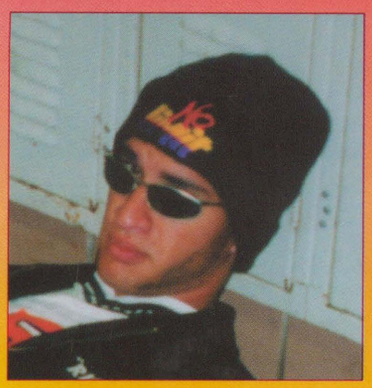

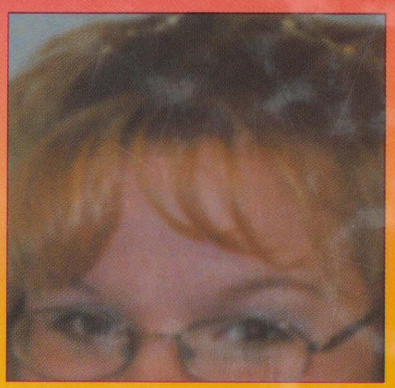

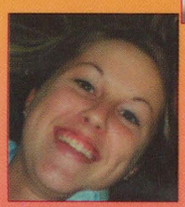

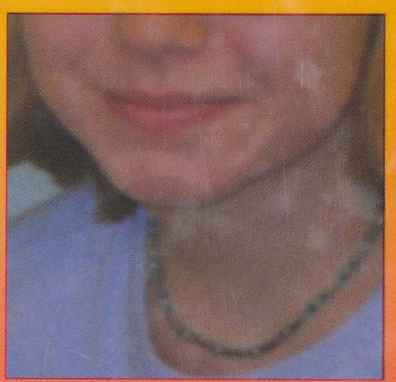

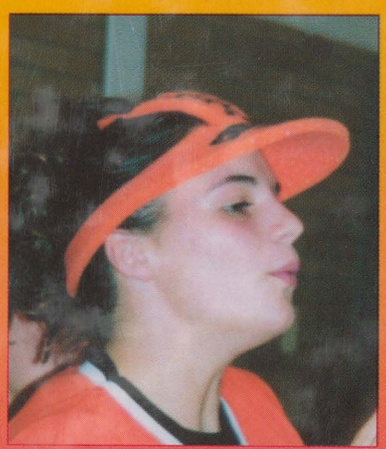

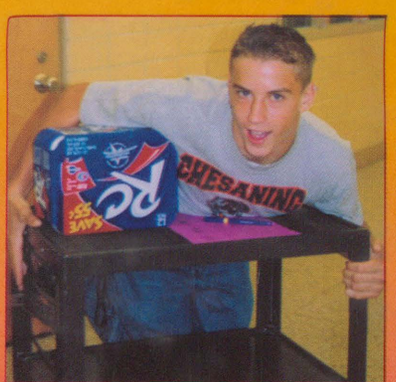
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